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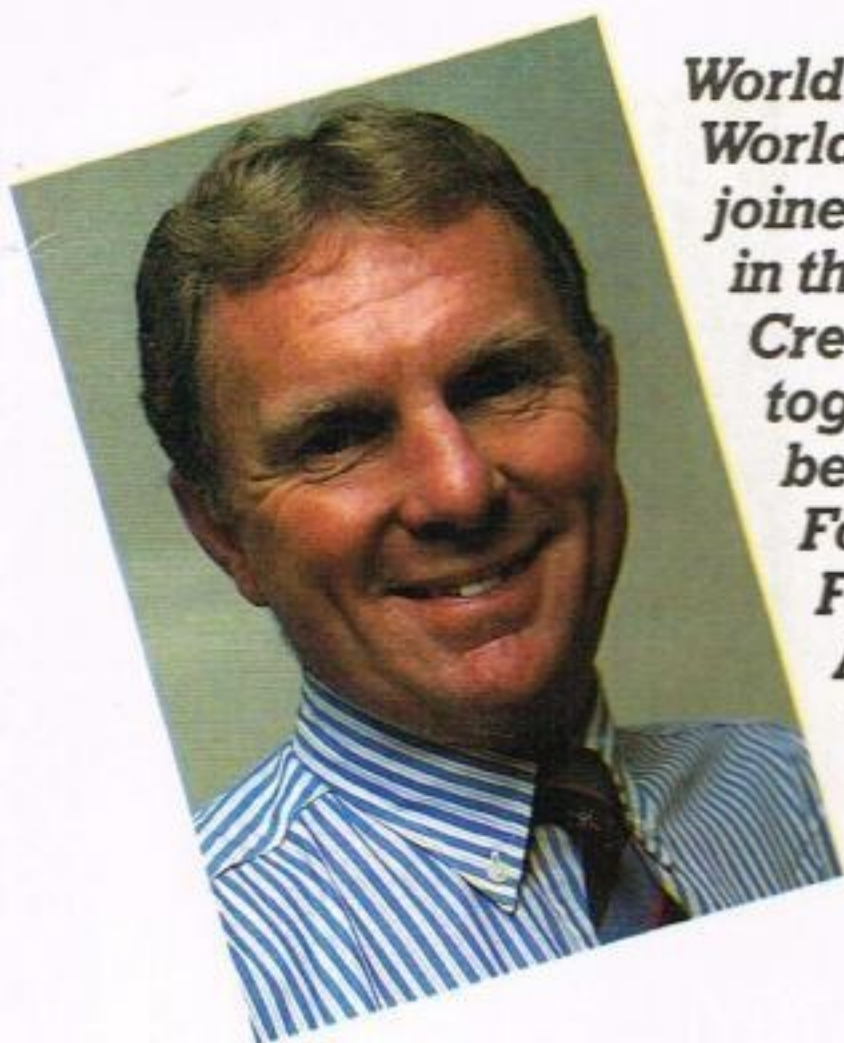
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THE OFFICIAL STICKER COLLECTION

FOOTBALL 90





World class always shows. I felt right from the first kick off in the 1966 World Cup Finals that England would win the Cup. And now that I've joined Panini Stickers, I get that same feeling of working with the best in the world.

Creating an album as good as this takes the same dedication as putting together a World Cup-winning side. To make sure that you get the best, we get the official blessing of the top people in football; the Football Leagues of England and Scotland, as well as the Professional Footballers' Associations of both countries.

As well as being the only album allowed to use home team badges, we've even added a super wall poster featuring the club badges of Europe's top teams. It's because Panini stickers are collected all over Europe that we can offer you this great bonus, as no matter which country you're in, the only official stickers are made by Panini.

Another great feature in this album is the page on the top TV commentators. John Motson, Brian Moore, and even my old pals Saint and Greavsie have made some hilarious boo-boos while on TV, and this page features some of their funniest sayings together with some cracking caricatures of them all. I hope you like them as much as I do, and to all commentators reading this album — keep up the good work!

I'll be a regular first-team member on the Panini squad from now on, and I'm especially looking forward to the 1990 World Cup as I know we have some great surprises in store for you! Talking of the World Cup, if you enter the competition in this album you could win a trip to Italy to join in the excitement of the world's greatest soccer tournament. Don't waste any time! It's not difficult, and who knows, you may just find yourself in Italy next year!

If you enjoy watching football on TV, we guarantee you'll love watching a live game at your local football ground. Many clubs now have comfortable family areas where special activities and free gifts are arranged for junior fans on match days. Panini are actively involved with clubs all around the country, where regular fans are treated to free Panini albums and stickers, competitions and of course, the famous Panini Swop Shop where you can swop stickers and finish your albums in double quick time!

Why not take a trip to your local football ground next home match and enjoy the excitement of live football? Teams always play better with a good home crowd, so go and cheer on your team soon!

Bobby Moore OBE

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The stickers are great — we're the only collection in the business to feature good quality official photocall shots, so you'll really get to know the players!

And we've introduced some exciting new features this year.

Not only can you collect foils of all your favourite English and Scottish teams but our fabulous free poster features the club crests of some of Europe's finest football teams!

And as an added bonus, when you've swopped as many doubles as possible, you can send off for up to 100 stickers to finish your collection! Just take a look at our mail order insert for all the details.

Plus, have you heard the news about **Club Panini?**

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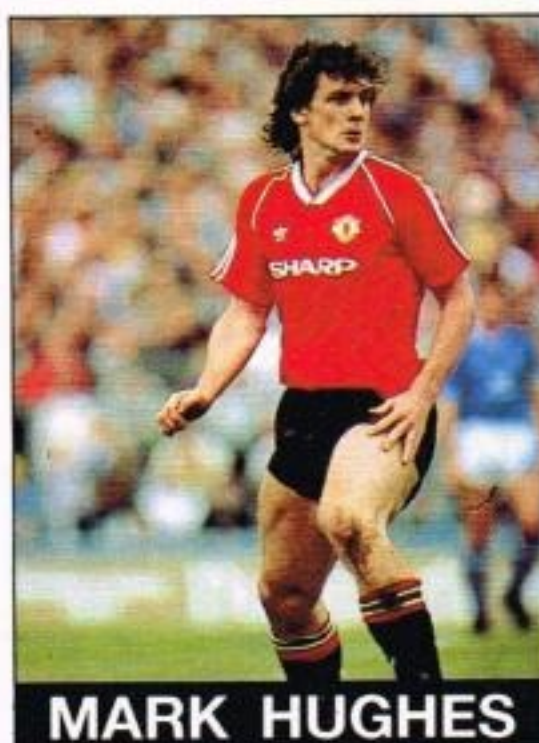
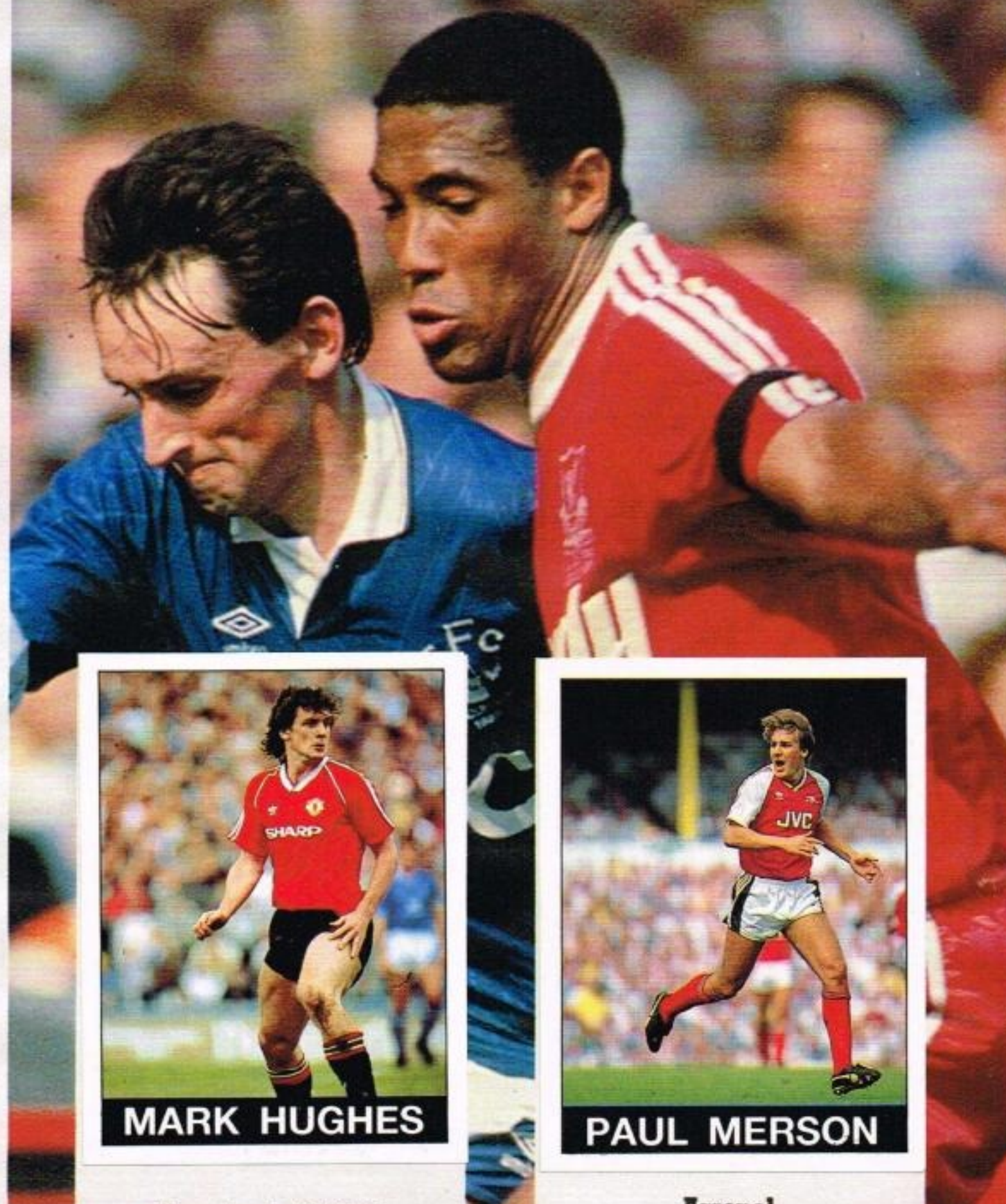
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Ours is the only sticker collection created with the assistance and approval of all the footballing authorities, The Football League, The Scottish Football League, The Professional Footballer's Association and The Scottish Professional Footballer's Association. So you can be sure it's completely on the ball!

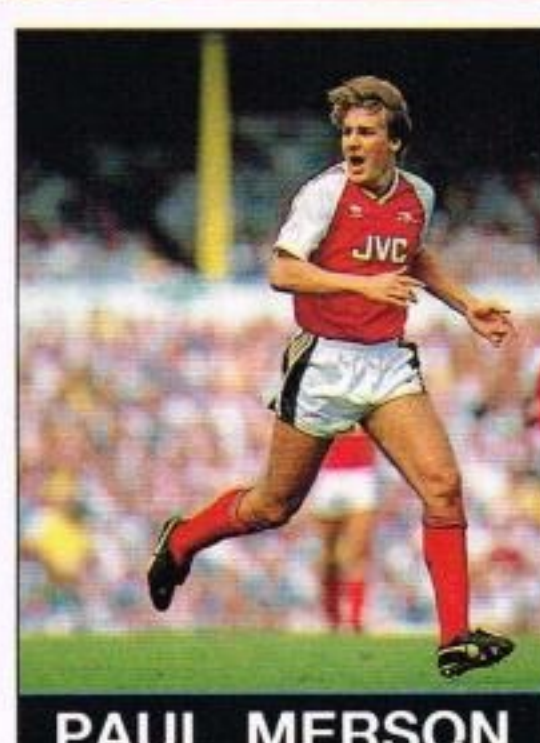
You've always known that Panini's the greatest name in sticker collections but now we're better than ever. You'll have weeks of fun and excitement collecting and swapping doubles with your friends. With action shots of all your favourite English and Scottish teams as well as all the player shots, we know your Panini Football album will be essential reading this season. So, we're coming out earlier than ever. But, Panini being as ever, the name to trust, we guarantee that we'll be the most up to date collection on the market.

Editor's note: Every care is taken to ensure that the information contained in this album is correct at the time of going to press. The information in this edition was compiled up to August 18 1989.



MARK HUGHES

Manchester United
PFA Player of the Year 1989



PAUL MERSON

Arsenal
PFA Young Player of the Year 1989



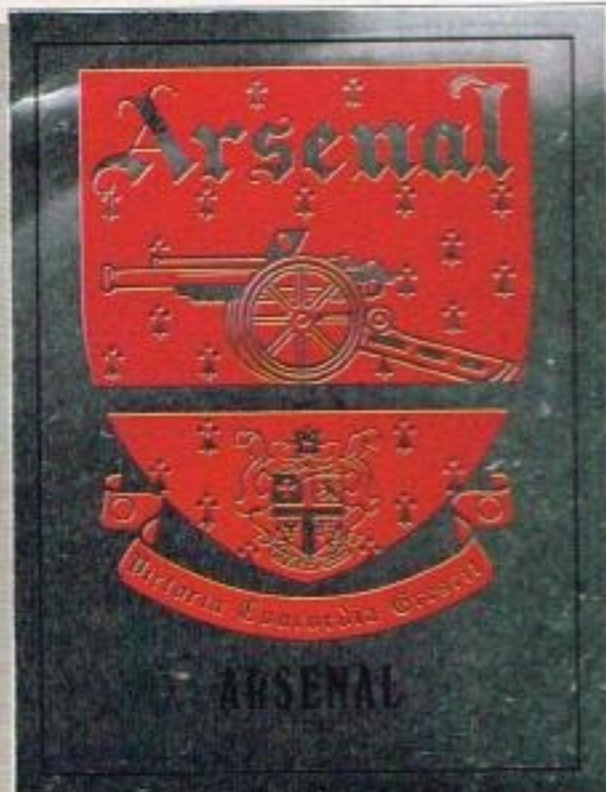
THEO SNELDERS

Aberdeen
Scottish PFA Player of the Year 1989



BILLY McKINLAY

Dundee United
Scottish PFA Young Player of the Year 1989



FOIL BADGE

THE GUNNERS

Address: Arsenal Stadium, Highbury, London N5 1BU

Ground Capacity: 57,000.

Chairman: P.D. Hill-Wood.

Manager: George Graham.

Founded: 1886.

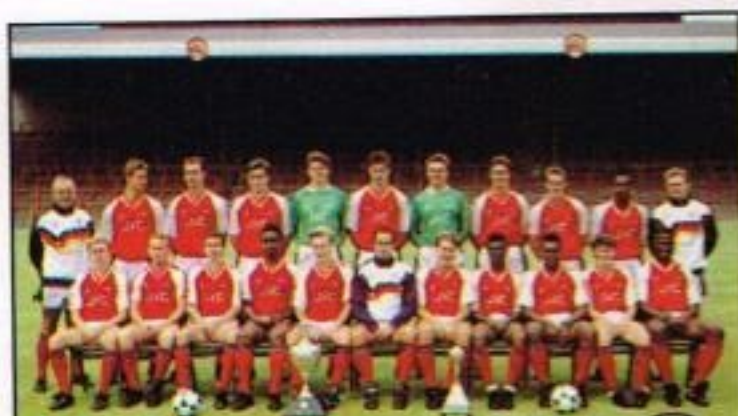
Former Names: Dial Square 1886, Royal Arsenal 1886-91, Woolwich Arsenal 1891-1914.

Most League Goals: Cliff Bastin, 150.

Most League Appearances: George Armstrong, 500, 1960-77.

League History: 1893 Elected to Division 2, 1904-13 Division 1, 1913-19 Division 2, 1919- Division 1.

Honours: Division 1 Champions 1930-31, 1932-33, 1933-34, 1934-35, 1937-38, 1947-48, 1952-53, 1970-71, 1988-89, runners-up 1925-26, 1931-32, 1972-73. Division 2 runners-up 1903-04. FA Cup winners 1930, 1936, 1950, 1971, 1979, runners-up 1927, 1932, 1952, 1978, 1980. League Cup winners 1987, runners-up 1968, 1969, 1988. European Fairs Cup winners 1970. European Cup-Winners' Cup runners-up 1980.



ARSENAL



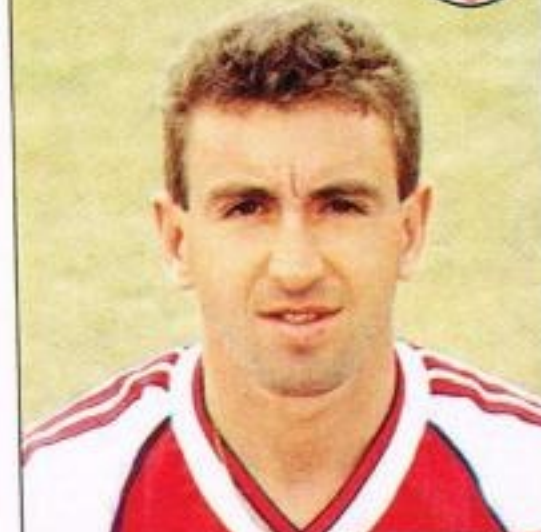
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GEORGE GRAHAM

Manager. Former Scottish international player of class and style who won many honours including the 'Double' with Arsenal in 1971. Came to Highbury in 1986 following a successful spell as manager at Millwall.

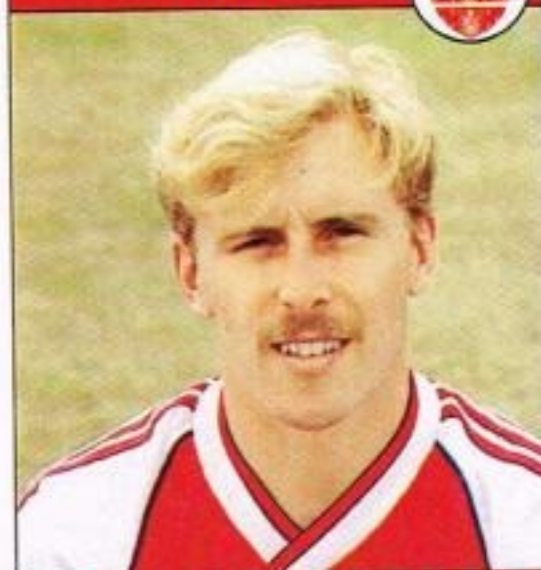
ARSENAL



NIGEL WINTERBURN

Defender. Born Nuneaton 11.12.63. Signed from Wimbledon in 1987, where he was voted 'Player of the Year' four seasons running. A steady influence when under pressure, he has represented England Under-21s and the Football League XI.

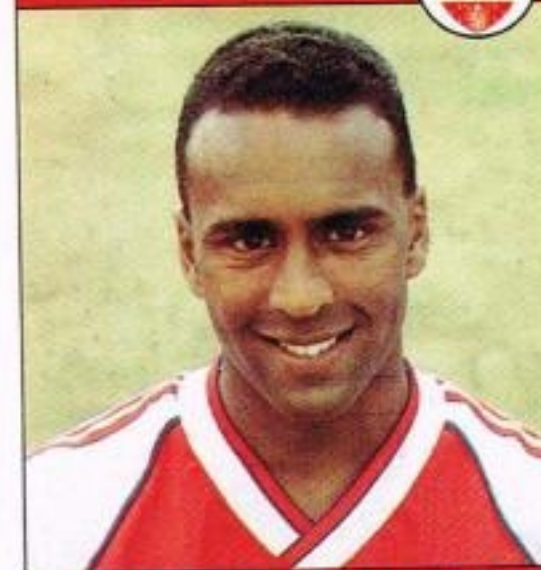
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KEVIN RICHARDSON

Midfield. Born Newcastle 4.12.62. Started out with Everton where he won League Championship and FA Cup winners medals. Moved to Watford from where he was signed for a bargain £150,000 in 1987. Assertive with attacking instincts.

ARSENAL



DAVID ROCASTLE

Midfield. Born Lewisham 2.5.67. England Under-21 and full international who came through the ranks at Highbury. A player with brilliant skills who has the talent to become world-class. Very constructive and positive.

ARSENAL



JOHN LUKIC

Goalkeeper. Born Chesterfield 11.12.60. Started his career with Leeds United, and made the England Under-21 side. Consistent and reliable, he has more than fulfilled his ample promise in more than 200 games for the Gunners.

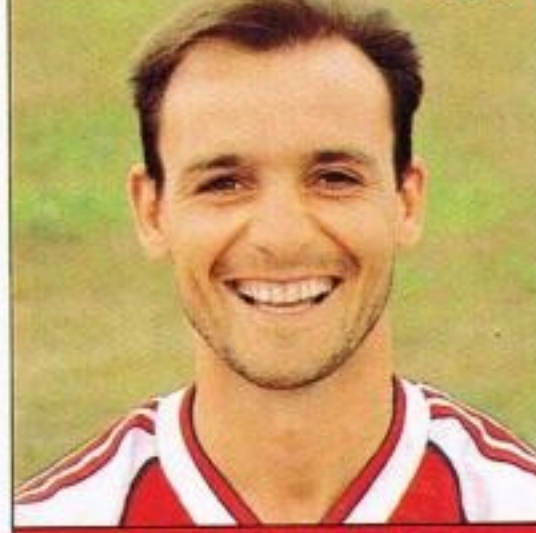
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TONY ADAMS

Defender. Born London 10.10.66. Dominant and constructive with excellent heading ability, he is an influential captain who led the Gunners to the League Championship in 1989. Has represented England at Youth, Under-21 and full level.

ARSENAL



STEVE BOULD

Defender. Born Stoke 16.11.62. Signed from Stoke City in 1988, he has now firmly established himself at the centre of defence. Perceptive and deceptively quick, he tackles well and uses the ball to advantage.

ARSENAL



LEE DIXON

Defender. Born Manchester 17.3.64. Has made the right-back position his own since signing from Stoke City in 1988. A fast, overlapping defender with good powers of recovery, he looks set for a great future.

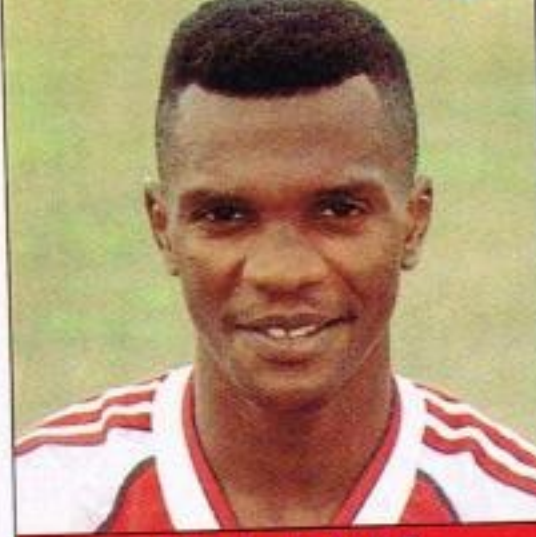
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MICHAEL THOMAS

Defender/Midfield. Born Lambeth 24.8.67. Arsenal youth product and former England Schools captain who has graduated through the Youth and Under-21 sides to full international status. Can operate equally effectively in defence or midfield.

ARSENAL



PAUL DAVIS

Midfield. Born London 9.12.61. Former Arsenal apprentice with more than 300 appearances to his credit. Talented and constructive player who has been capped 11 times by the England Under-21 side. Full England squad member.

ARSENAL



BRIAN MARWOOD

Forward. Born Seaham Harbour 5.2.60. Direct, goal-scoring winger who joined the Gunners in 1988. His outstanding form last season prompted England manager Bobby Robson to award him his first full England cap.

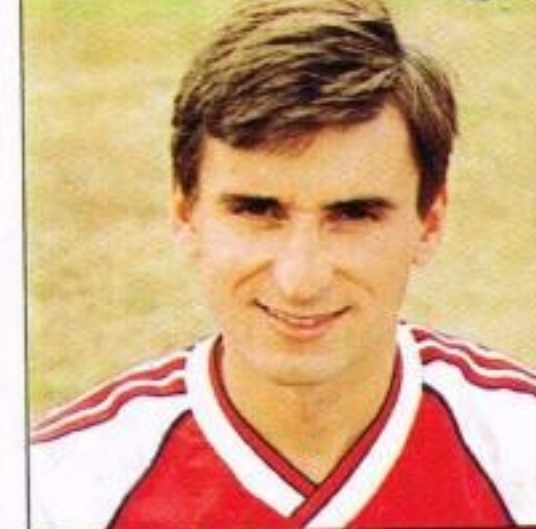
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PAUL MERSON

Forward. Born London 20.3.68. Immensely promising England Under-21 player who served his apprenticeship at Highbury and has now established himself in the first team. An exciting goalscorer who is sharp and menacing in the penalty box.

ARSENAL



ALAN SMITH

Forward. Born Birmingham 21.11.62. Club's top scorer for the second season following his transfer in 1987. A deadly marksman, equally good in the air or on the ground, he recently made his debut for England.



THE VILLANS

Address: Villa Park, Trinity Road, Birmingham B6 6HE.

Ground Capacity: 46,908.

Chairman: H. D. Ellis.

Manager: Graham Taylor.

Founded: 1874.

Former Names: None.

Most League Goals: Harry Hampton, 213, and Billy Walker, 213.

Most League Appearances: Charlie Aitken, 560, 1961-76.

League History: 1888 Founder Members of the League. 1936-38 Division 2, 1938-59 Division 1, 1959-60 Division 2, 1960-67 Division 1, 1967-70 Division 2, 1970-72 Division 3, 1972-75 Division 2, 1975-87 Division 1, 1987-88 Division 2, 1988- Division 1.

Honours: Division 1 Champions 1893-94, 1895-96, 1896-97, 1898-99, 1899-1900, 1909-10, 1980-81, runners-up 1888-89, 1902-03, 1907-08, 1910-11, 1912-13, 1913-14, 1930-31, 1932-33. Division 2 Champions 1937-38, 1959-60, runners-up 1974-75, 1987-88. Division 3 Champions 1971-72. FA Cup winners 1887, 1895, 1897, 1905, 1913, 1920, 1957 (7 wins—a record held jointly with Spurs), runners-up 1892, 1924. League Cup winners 1961, 1975, 1977, runners-up 1963, 1971. European Cup winners 1982, European Super Cup winners 1983.



ASTON VILLA



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GRAHAM TAYLOR

Manager. First led Lincoln to promotion before lifting Watford from the Fourth to the First Division. An FA staff coach since 1967, he now ranks with the outstanding managers of British football.

ASTON VILLA



KENT NIELSEN

Defender. Born Denmark 28.12.61. Dominant central defender who was signed from Brøndby I.F. of Denmark during the close season for £500,000. A Danish international who exhibits tremendous defensive qualities, heading the ball well and tackling strongly.

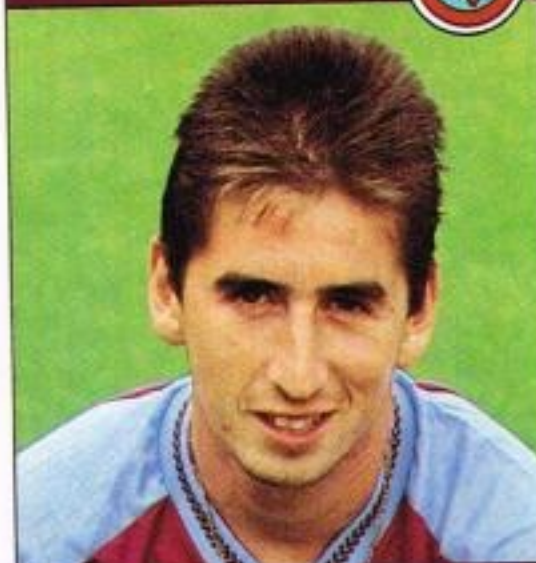
ASTON VILLA



GORDON COWANS

Midfield. Born West Cornforth 27.10.58. Returned to Villa Park in 1988 after three years in Italy. Tough-tackling, he is a former England Under-21 player and Youth international who has 9 full caps.

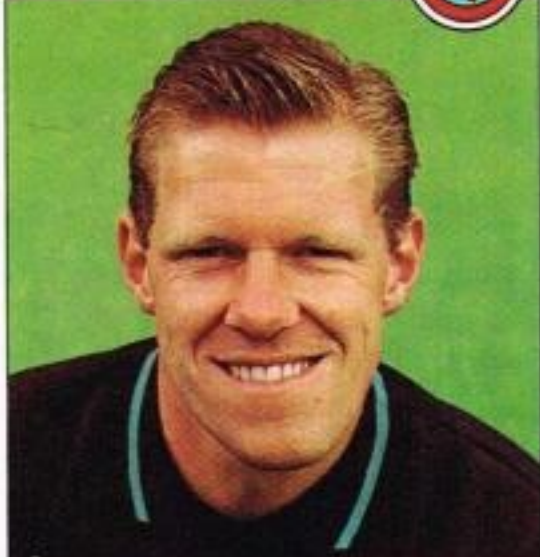
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NIGEL CALLAGHAN

Midfield. Born Singapore 12.9.62. Former England Under-21 and 'B' international who was bought from Derby County in 1989 for £500,000. A good striker of the ball who will provide a touch of class to the wide berths.

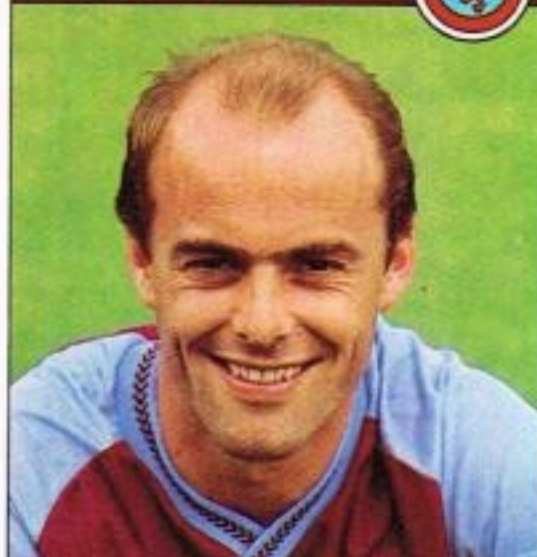
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NIGEL SPINK

Goalkeeper. Born Chelmsford 8.8.58. Now rated with the best goalkeepers in the country and has appeared in the full England team. Tall, athletic and good on his line, he is the club's longest serving player.

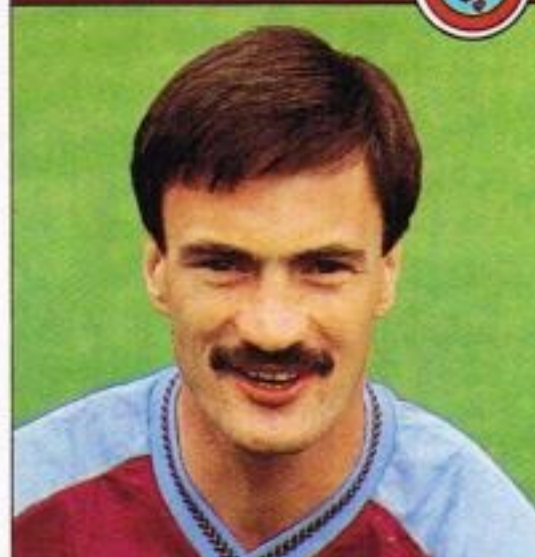
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CHRIS PRICE

Defender. Born Hereford 30.3.60. An attacking right-back who in a career of over 400 games has been chosen for both the PFA Fourth Division and Second Division representative sides. England Youth player.

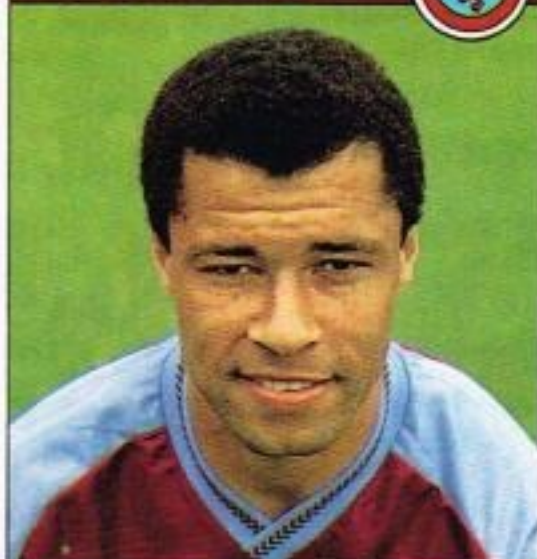
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DEREK MOUNTFIELD

Defender. Born Liverpool 2.11.62. Another defensive reinforcement who was signed from Everton in 1988. Powerful centre-back with a knack of scoring at set pieces. Honours include England caps at Under-21 and 'B' level.

ASTON VILLA



PAUL McGRATH

Defender. Born Greenford 4.12.59. A tall, commanding and composed player who is rated one of the best in the country. Joined Manchester United in 1982 and came to Villa Park during the close season for £400,000. Has played 25 times for the Republic of Ireland.

ASTON VILLA



BERNARD GALLACHER

Defender. Born Johnstone 22.3.67. Composed and stylish left-back who has progressed through the junior ranks. Tremendous prospect who has established himself as a first-team regular over the last two seasons.

ASTON VILLA



STUART GRAY

Midfield. Born Withenssea 19.4.60. Since arriving from Barnsley in 1987 he has made a big impact. Possessor of a cultured left foot and a scorching shot, he is capable of filling a variety of positions.

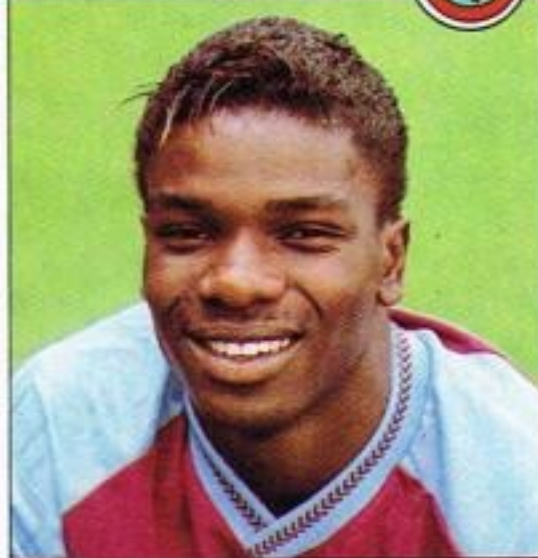
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DAVID PLATT

Forward. Born Chadderton 10.6.66. An imaginative player who carries the stamp of a natural striker. Signed from Crewe Alexandra in 1988, his goal-scoring talents have brought him England recognition at Under-21 and 'B' level.

ASTON VILLA



TONY DALEY

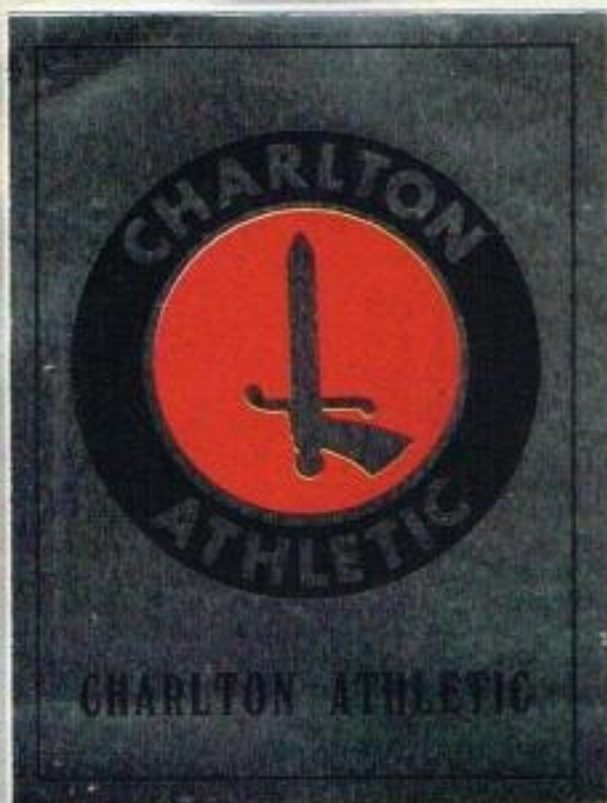
Forward. Born Birmingham 18.10.67. England Youth and Under-21 player. Very fast and hit top form last season with some impressive displays on the wing. Direct and assertive, he is a tremendous prospect.

ASTON VILLA



ADRIAN HEATH

Forward. Born Stoke 11.1.61. Former England 'B' and Under-21 cap who played for Everton before spending a short spell in Spain with Espanol from whom he was signed during the close season for £360,000. An excellent striker with a good goalscoring record.



THE HADDICKS

Address: Selhurst Park, London SE25 6PH.

Ground Capacity: 30,926.

Chairman: Roger N. Alwen.

Manager: Lennie Lawrence.

Founded: 1905.

Former Names: None.

Most League Goals: Stuart Leary, 153.

Most League Appearances: Sam Bartram, 583, 1934-56.

League History: 1921 Elected to Division 3(S), 1929-33 Division 2, 1933-35 Division 3(S), 1935-36 Division 2, 1936-57 Division 1, 1957-72 Division 2, 1972-75 Division 3, 1975-80 Division 2, 1980-81 Division 3, 1981-86 Division 2, 1986- Division 1.

Honours: Division 1 runners-up 1936-37. Division 2 runners-up 1935-36, 1985-86. Division 3(S) Champions 1928-29, 1934-35. FA Cup winners 1947, runners-up 1946. Full Members' Cup runners-up 1987.



CHARLTON ATHLETIC



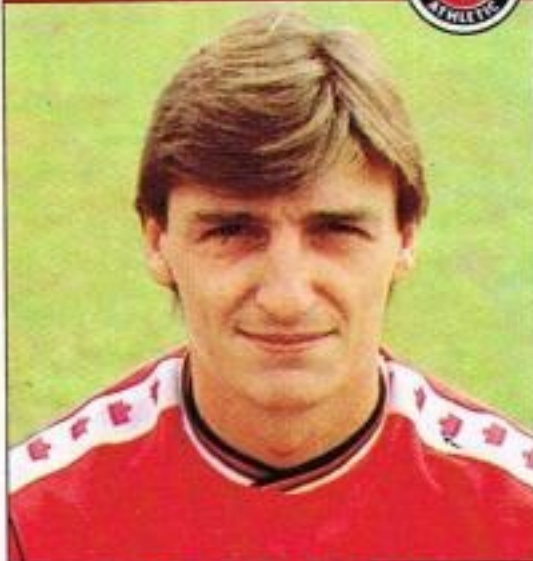
CHARLTON ATHLETIC



JOE McLAUGHLIN

Defender. Born Greenock 2.6.60. Commanding centre-back who is tall, strong and particularly good in the air. Signed from Chelsea during the close season, he is a fine acquisition who will add stability to the back four.

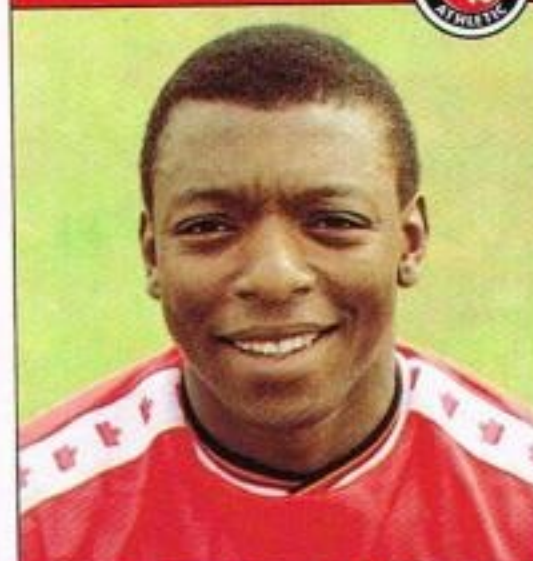
CHARLTON ATHLETIC



COLIN PATES

Defender. Born Mitcham 10.8.61. England Youth international who played nearly 300 League games for Chelsea before his £430,000 signing in 1988. A pillar in defence who is dominant in the air and, above all, very consistent.

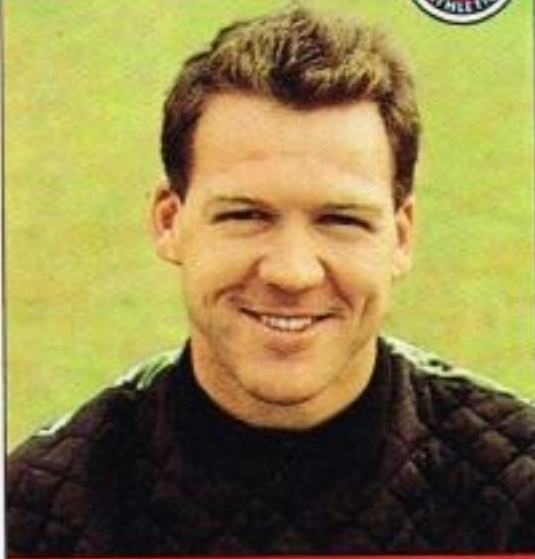
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GARTH CROOKS

Forward. Born Stoke 10.3.58. Has scored nearly 200 goals with Stoke, Spurs, WBA and Charlton. A skilful and lethal striker who celebrated the first of his four England Under-21 caps with a hat-trick.

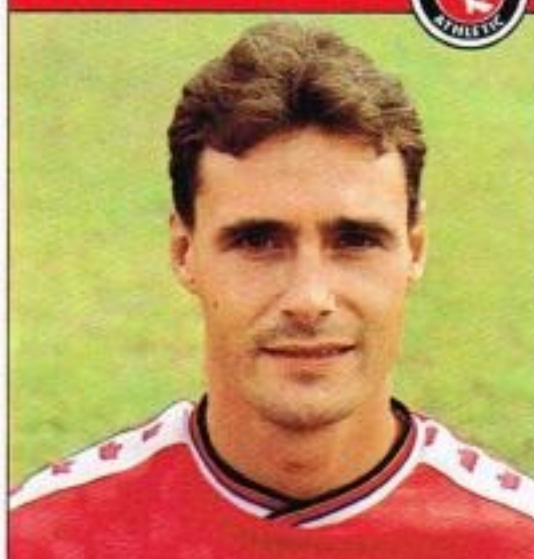
CHARLTON ATHLETIC



BOB BOLDER

Goalkeeper. Born Dover 2.10.58. Veteran keeper who has given valuable service to Sheffield Wednesday, Liverpool and Sunderland before joining Charlton in 1986. Has a good positional sense, safe hands and a great rapport with the fans.

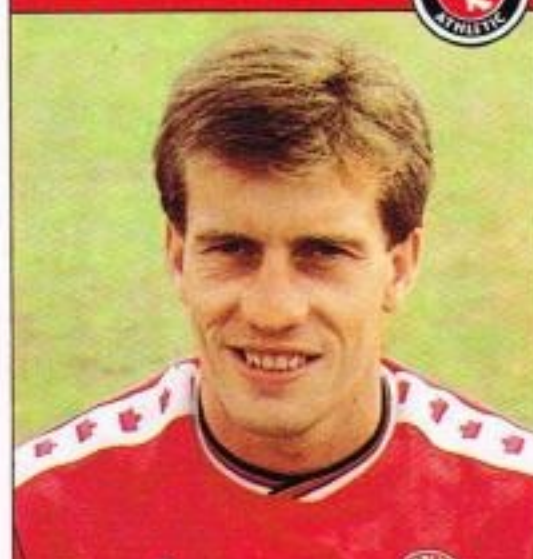
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JOHN HUMPHREY

Defender. Born Paddington. 31.1.61. Played for Wolves prior to arriving at Charlton in 1985. A shrewd signing who has been an outstanding success. Attacking full-back who is one of the most accomplished in the First Division.

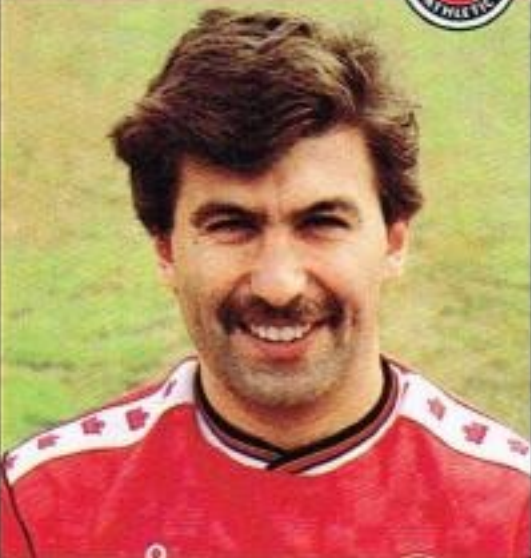
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MARK REID

Defender. Born Kilwinning 15.9.61. Scotland Under-17, 18 and 21 international. Holds three club records with 8 penalties in a season, 3 in one match and 57 senior games in season 1986-87.

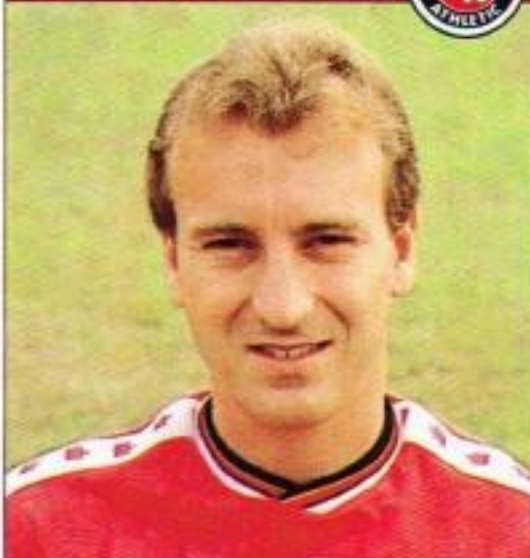
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STEVE MacKENZIE

Midfield. Born Romford 23.11.61. Highly experienced player who was transferred from WBA for £200,000 in 1987. Former England Youth, Under-21 and 'B' cap who has won over the fans with some admirable displays.

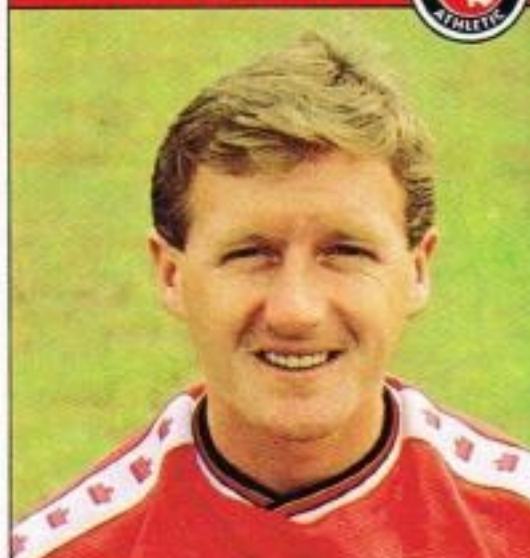
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ANDY PEAKE

Midfield. Born Market Harborough 1.1.61. Signed in 1986 from Grimsby Town, he is now an integral part of the team's engine room. Plays with skill and perception and has represented England at Youth and Under-21 level.

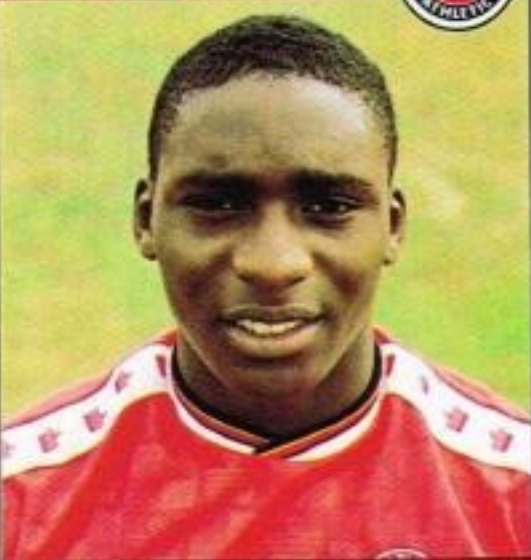
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COLIN WALSH

Midfield. Born Hamilton 27.7.62. Came from Nottingham Forest for a bargain price of £125,000 in 1986. An astute tactician with an eye for a goal, he has been an unused substitute in Scotland's senior team to add to his Under-21 caps.

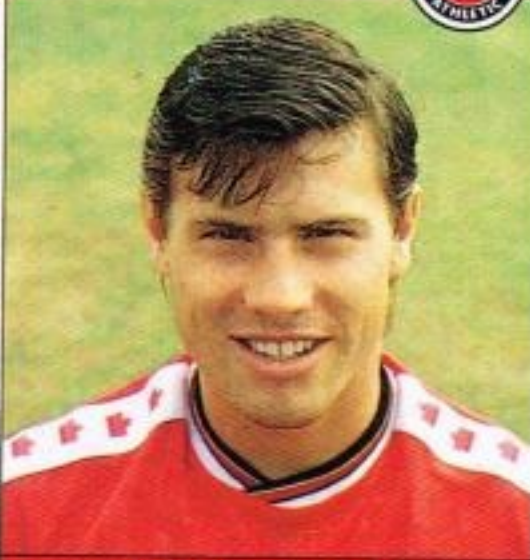
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CARL LEABURN

Forward. Born Lewisham 30.3.69. Very promising, tall young striker who played a full part in the team's successful conclusion to last season. Very keen, all-action player who toured Brazil with England's Under-20 team in 1988.

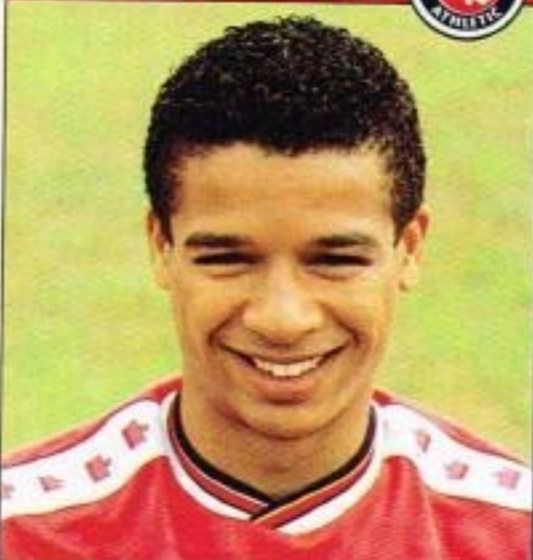
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ROBERT LEE

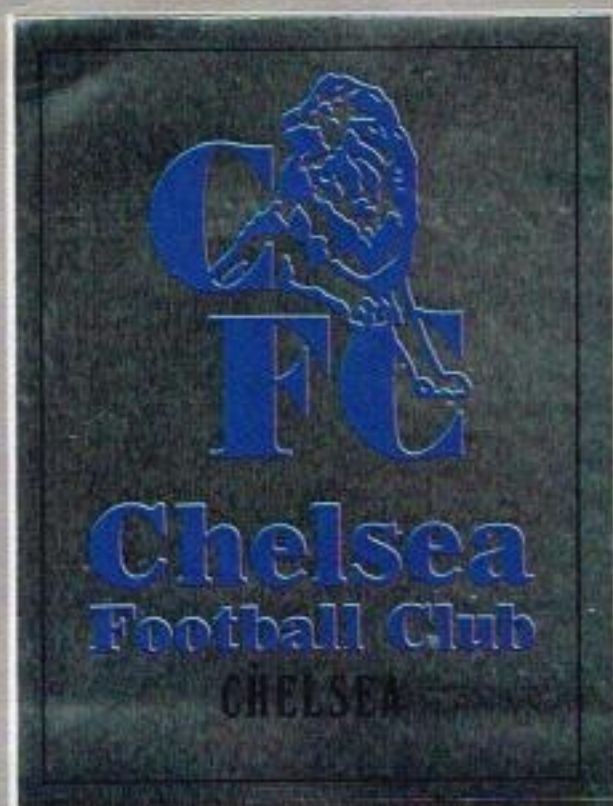
Forward. Born West Ham 1.2.66. A player with great potential who joined the club as a junior and has now made over 150 League appearances. England Under-21 international who plays a deep attacking role.

CHARLTON ATHLETIC



PAUL WILLIAMS

Forward. Born London. 16.8.65. Young striker with a great appetite for the game. Signed from non-league football in 1987, he gave notice of his great ability with some terrific performances last season.



THE BLUES

Address: Stamford Bridge, London SW6 1HS.

Ground Capacity: 43,900.

Chairman: Ken W. Bates.

Manager: Bobby Campbell.

Founded: 1905.

Former Names: None.

Most League Goals: Bobby Tambling, 164.

Most League Appearances: Ron Harris, 655, 1962-80.

League History: 1905 Elected to Division 2, 1907-10 Division 1, 1910-12 Division 2, 1912-24 Division 1, 1924-30 Division 2, 1930-62 Division 1, 1962-63 Division 2, 1963-75 Division 1, 1975-77 Division 2, 1977-79 Division 1, 1979-84 Division 2, 1984-88 Division 1, 1988-89 Division 2, 1989- Division 1.

Honours: Division 1 Champions 1954-55. Division 2 Champions 1983-84, 1988-89, runners-up 1906-07, 1911-12, 1929-30, 1962-63, 1976-77. FA Cup winners 1970, runners-up 1915, 1967. League Cup winners 1965, runners-up 1972. Full Members' Cup winners 1986. European Cup-Winners' Cup winners 1971.



CHELSEA



CHELSEA



BOBBY CAMPBELL

Manager. Highly knowledgeable manager who took charge at Stamford Bridge in 1988. He has virtually rebuilt the team with a mixture of youth and experienced signings. As a player he was an England Youth international.

CHELSEA



TONY DORIGO

Defender. Born Australia 31.12.65. Now making a strong challenge for the left-back position in the England team after winning 11 Under-21 caps. Very quick and likely to score goals from outside the penalty box.

CHELSEA



GRAHAM ROBERTS

Defender. Born Southampton 3.7.59. A team captain who leads by example. Uncompromising, determined and brave, he won 6 England caps in his Tottenham days. Signed from Glasgow Rangers for £470,000 in 1988.

CHELSEA



JOHN BUMSTEAD

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Midfield. Born Rotherhithe. 27.11.58. Joined the club as a schoolboy and worked his way through the junior ranks. A strong-running midfield player and forceful attacker who has made over 300 first-team appearances.

CHELSEA



GORDON DURIE

Forward. Born Paisley 6.12.65. Explosive, strong-running striker whose pace makes him one of the game's most dangerous marksmen. Signed from Hibernian for £380,000, he has represented Scotland at Under-21 and full international level.

CHELSEA



DAVE BEASANT

Goalkeeper. Born Willesden 20.3.59. Former Wimbledon skipper. Signed from Newcastle United for £725,000, he is good in the air and the only player to save a penalty in an FA Cup Final.

CHELSEA



STEVE CLARKE

Defender. Born Saltcoats 29.8.63. Joined the club from St. Mirren in 1987 for £422,000 and, following recognition at Youth and Under-21 level, has now been introduced to the full Scotland side.

CHELSEA



KENNY MONKOU

Defender. Born Nickerie, Holland 29.11.64. Dutch Under-21 international who was signed from Feyenoord in 1989. A quality player with two great feet, he is a superb man-marker, very quick, strong and dominant in the air.

CHELSEA



PETER NICHOLAS

Midfield. Born Newport 10.11.59. Experienced and widely-travelled, he has been a regular in the Welsh side for ten years, winning 58 caps. Great competitor who is noted for his strong, hard tackling.

CHELSEA



ALAN DICKENS

Midfield. Born Plaistow 3.9.64. Former England Youth and Under-21 cap who was signed from West Ham where he was a long-time understudy to Trevor Brooking. Consistent performer with skill and great ball-winning ability.

CHELSEA



KERRY DIXON

Forward. Born Luton 24.7.61. England international who has proved his ability to score at all levels. Great in the air with a lethal shot in either foot, he has now notched up close to 200 goals.

CHELSEA



KEVIN McALLISTER

Forward. Born Falkirk 8.11.62. Clever, intelligent wingman who was signed from Falkirk in 1985. A lively raider and goal scorer, he is likely to figure prominently in this season's First Division campaign.

CHELSEA



KEVIN WILSON

Forward. Born Banbury 18.4.61. A leading marksman at former clubs Derby and Ipswich, he was signed for £335,000 in 1987. Sharp finisher with an eye for a goal who has been capped by Northern Ireland.



THE SKY BLUES

Address: Highfield Road Stadium,
King Richard Street, Coventry CV2 4FW.

Ground Capacity: 29,800.

Chairman: J. Poynton.

Manager: John Sillett.

Founded: 1883.

Former Names: Singers FC 1883-98,
Coventry City FC 1898.

Most League Goals: Clarrie Bourton,
171.

Most League Appearances:
George Curtis, 486, 1956-70.

League History: 1919 Elected to
Division 2, 1925-26 Division 3(N),
1926-36 Division 3(S), 1936-52 Division
2, 1952-58 Division 3(S), 1958-59
Division 4, 1959-64 Division 3, 1964-67
Division 2, 1967- Division 1.

Honours: Division 2 Champions
1966-67. Division 3 Champions 1963-64.
Division 4 runners-up 1958-59. Division
3(S) Champions 1935-36, runners-up
1933-34. FA Cup winners 1987.



COVENTRY CITY



COVENTRY CITY



JOHN SILLETT

Manager. One of the most popular
officials in the game who used to be a
full-back with Chelsea, Coventry and
Plymouth. Promoted from Chief Coach
following the team's FA Cup triumph
in 1987.

COVENTRY CITY



STEVE OGRIZOVIC

Goalkeeper. Born Mansfield 12.9.57.
Hasn't missed a League game since
joining the Sky Blues from Shrewsbury
for £72,500 in 1984. Played in the
Football League's Centenary match
against the Rest of the World.

COVENTRY CITY



TONY DOBSON

Defender. Born Coventry 5.2.69. Local
born young prospect with a great future
ahead. Quick, with great heading ability
and a cultured left foot, he was a
member of the 1987 FA Youth Cup
winning team.

COVENTRY CITY



TREVOR PEAKE

Defender. Born Nuneaton 10.2.57.
Played for England's semi-professional
team during his non-league days and
was signed from Lincoln City for
£100,000 in 1984. Reliable and consistent
defender with great positional sense.

COVENTRY CITY



LLOYD McGRATH

Midfield. Born Birmingham 24.2.65.
Highly rated man-marker who came
through the club's apprenticeship
scheme. A resolute tackler whose
extra-time cross deflected into the net
for the 1987 FA Cup Final winner.

COVENTRY CITY



DAVID SMITH

Midfield. Born Gloucester 29.3.68. Had
a meteoric rise to First Division football
last season and made such an impres-
sion that he won England Under-21
caps. Clever player with great skills
who gives width to the team.

COVENTRY CITY



BRIAN BORROWS

Defender. Born Liverpool 20.12.60. Began his career with Everton and signed from Bolton in 1985. Quick, highly skilful and a good reader of the game, he has been a first-team regular ever since.

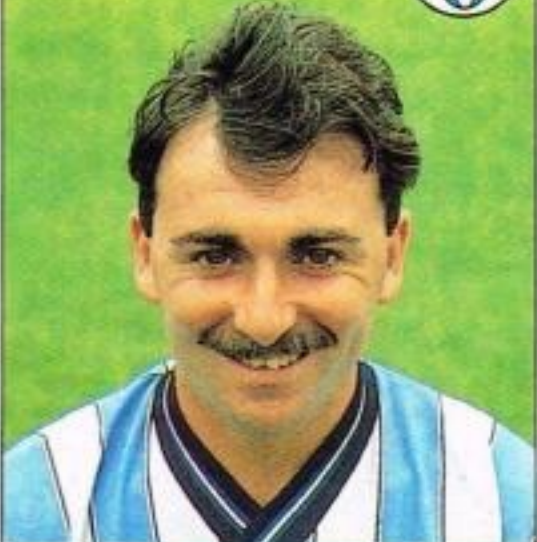
COVENTRY CITY



BRIAN KILCLINE

Defender. Born Nottingham 7.5.62. A fixture at the heart of the defence since his transfer from Notts County in 1984. Strong defender who attacks the ball and tackles well, he has been capped at Under-21 level.

COVENTRY CITY



MICKY GYNN

Midfield. Born Peterborough 19.8.61. Has played over 300 League games for Coventry and Peterborough. Quick, nippy and possessing good ball control, he has over 50 League goals to his credit.

COVENTRY CITY



DEAN EMERSON

Midfield. Born Salford 27.12.62. Talented play-maker who totalled 211 League games for previous clubs Stockport and Rotherham before joining the Sky Blues in 1986. First-class passer of the ball who tackles with authority.

COVENTRY CITY



DAVID SPEEDIE

Midfield/Forward. Born Glenrothes 20.2.60. Dynamic worker with an ability in the air that belies his size. Highly competitive player with a liking for linking up with his forwards. Has represented Scotland on 5 occasions.

COVENTRY CITY



GARY BANNISTER

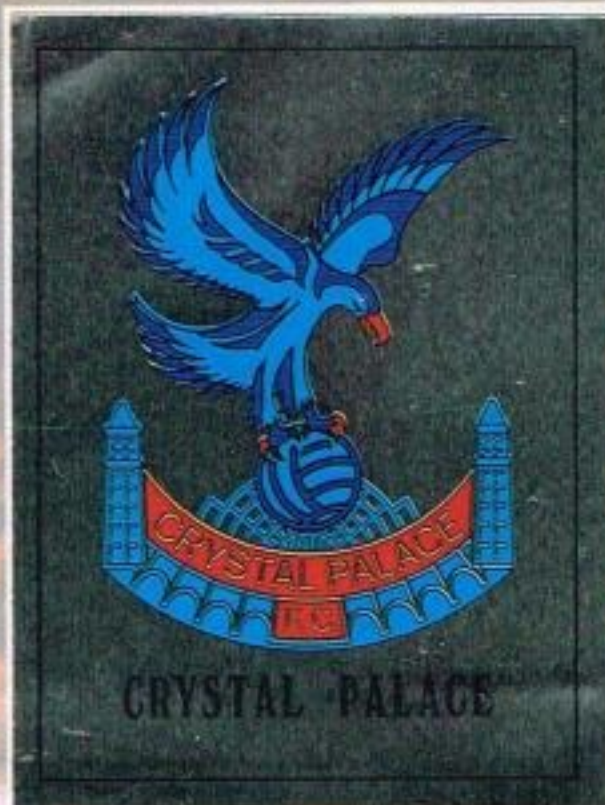
Forward. Born Warrington 22.7.60. Started his career at Highfield Road then moved to Sheffield Wednesday and QPR. Great goalscorer who is very sharp in the box, he returned to Coventry in 1988 for £300,000.

COVENTRY CITY



CYRILLE REGIS

Forward. Born French Guyana 9.2.58. Full England international who has also played for the Under-21 and 'B' teams. Highly skilled, powerfully built target man who came to Coventry from West Brom in 1984 for £250,000.



THE EAGLES

Address: Selhurst Park, London SE25 6PU

Ground Capacity: 30,926.

Chairman: R. G. Noades.

Manager: Steve Coppel.

Founded: 1905.

Former Names: None.

Most League Goals: Peter Simpson, 154.

Most League Appearances: Jim Cannon, 572, 1973-88.

League History: 1920 Founder Members of Division 3, 1921-25 Division 2, 1925-58 Division 3(S), 1958-61 Division 4, 1961-64 Division 3, 1964-69 Division 2, 1969-73 Division 1, 1973-74 Division 2, 1974-77 Division 3, 1977-79 Division 2, 1979-81 Division 1, 1981-89 Division 2, 1989- Division 1.

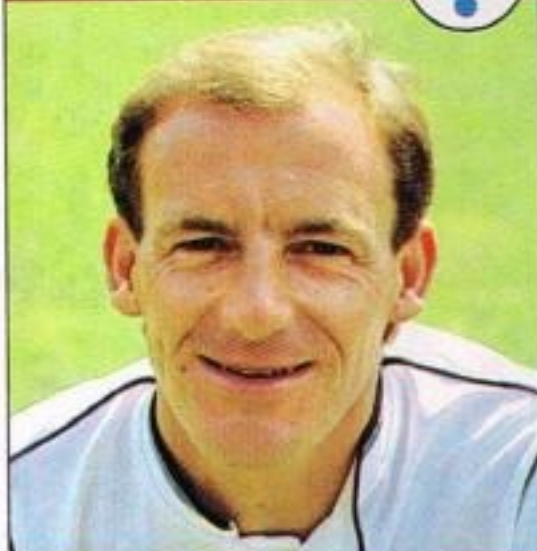
Honours: Division 2 Champions 1978-79, runners-up 1968-69. Division 3 runners-up 1963-64. Division 4 runners-up 1960-61. Division 3 Champions 1920-21, runners-up 1928-29, 1930-31, 1938-39.



CRYSTAL PALACE



CRYSTAL PALACE



STEVE COPPELL

Manager. Formerly one of football's best-ever outside-rights who enjoyed a distinguished career with Manchester United and England (42 caps). Respected throughout the game for the way he motivates with such quiet distinction.

CRYSTAL PALACE



DAVID BURKE

Defender. Born Liverpool 6.8.60. Composed and ice-cool left-back who has appeared for the England Youth side. Signed from Huddersfield Town for £65,000 in 1987, is also a great fan of mystery stories.

CRYSTAL PALACE



JEFF HOPKINS

Defender. Born Swansea 14.4.64. Made 219 League appearances for Fulham before moving to Palace in 1988. Solid in the air and on the ground, he has played at both full international and Under-21 level for Wales.

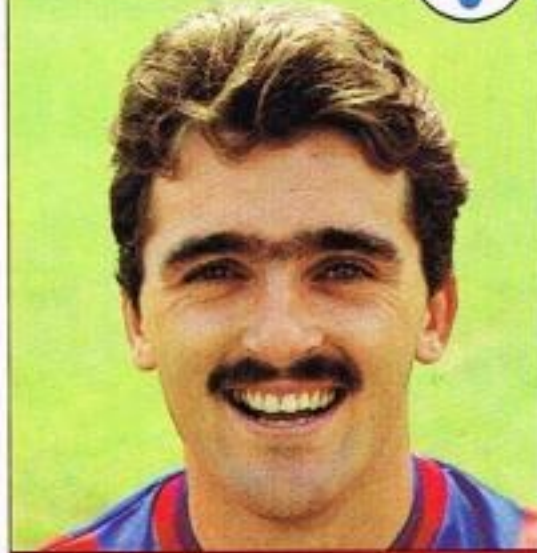
CRYSTAL PALACE



GEOFF THOMAS

Midfield. Born Manchester 5.8.64. Team captain whose midfield drive provides the energy on which his forwards thrive. Great distribution with both feet and reads the game well. Has collected many 'Player of the Year' awards.

CRYSTAL PALACE



EDDIE MCGOLDRICK

Forward. Born London 30.4.65. Palace beat off competition from several clubs to sign this versatile player from Northampton Town last season. A traditional winger who has the ability to take defenders on and beat them.

CRYSTAL PALACE

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PERRY SUCKLING

Goalkeeper. Born Leyton 12.10.55. Flamboyant and always likely to pull off the impossible save, he is particularly effective with ground shots. Former England Under-21 international who always insists on putting his right boot on first before a game.

CRYSTAL PALACE



JOHN PEMBERTON

Defender. Born Oldham 18.11.64. Previously with Rochdale and Crewe Alexandra, he can play in any of the back four positions. Very fast and adaptable defender who possesses the ability to recover his position quickly.

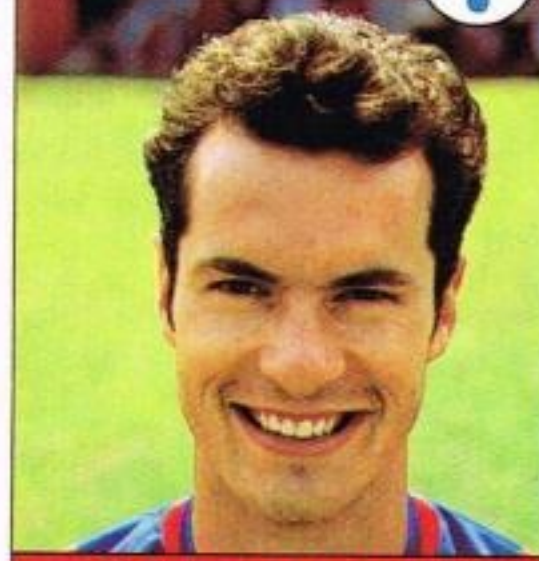
CRYSTAL PALACE



GARY O'REILLY

Defender. Born Isleworth 21.3.61. Tall, strong centre-half who previously played for Tottenham, Brighton and in Sweden. An excellent header of the ball with good positional sense.

CRYSTAL PALACE



DAVID MADDEN

Midfield. Born London 6.1.63. Experienced and much-travelled midfield man who played a prominent part in the club's promotion drive last season. Tenacious and hard-tackling, he is also an expert from the penalty spot.

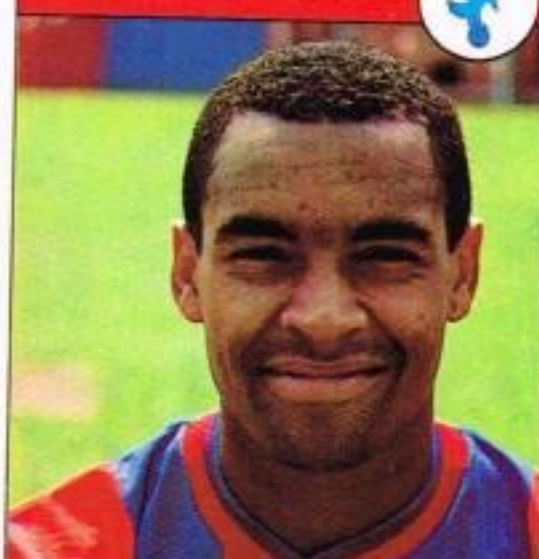
CRYSTAL PALACE



ANDY GRAY

Midfield. Born Lambeth 22.2.64. Strong and elusive England Under-21 international who gives width to the midfield. Signed from QPR for £500,000 during the close season, he is an accurate marksman who is rarely caught out of position.

CRYSTAL PALACE



MARK BRIGHT

Forward. Born Stoke 6.6.62. High-scoring centre-forward who has notched 44 League goals in the last two seasons. Scores with both feet and head and loves Paris which he visits regularly.

CRYSTAL PALACE



IAN WRIGHT

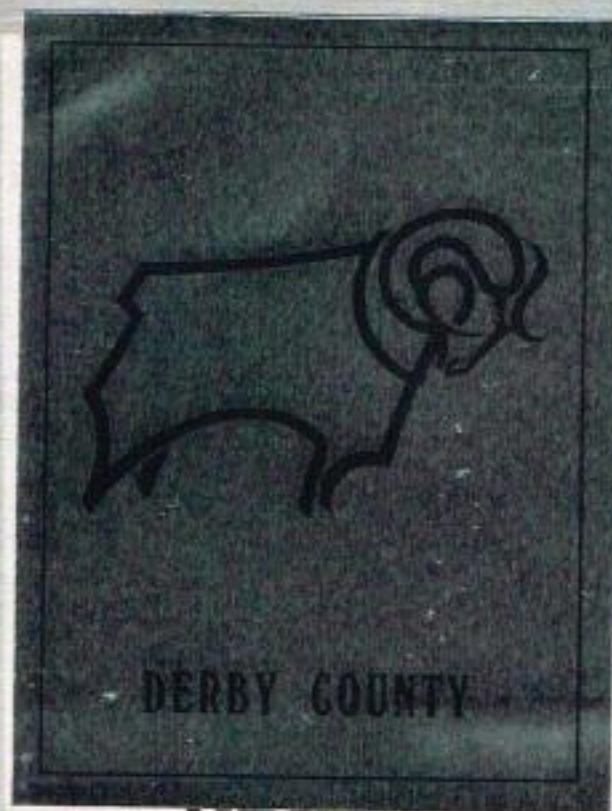
Forward. Born Woolwich 3.11.63. Enthusiastic and exciting, he combines a wicked sense of humour with a deadly serious outlook on the game. Very fast, scores plenty of goals and is dedicated to winning.

CRYSTAL PALACE



PHIL BARBER

Forward. Born Tring 10.6.65. Known as 'Mr. 100 per cent' and a firm favourite with the fans. Has made the left-wing berth his own although his speed enables him to drop back into defence when required.



THE RAMS

Address: Baseball Ground,
Shaftesbury Crescent, Derby DE3 8NB.

Ground Capacity: 26,500.

Chairman: Robert Maxwell.

Manager: Arthur Cox.

Founded: 1884.

Former Names: None.

Most League Goals: Steve Bloomer,
291.

Most League Appearances:
Kevin Hector, 486, 1966-78 and 1980-82.

League History: 1888 Founder
Members of the League, 1904-12
Division 2, 1912-14 Division 1, 1914-15
Division 2, 1915-21 Division 1, 1921-26
Division 2, 1926-53 Division 1, 1953-55
Division 2, 1955-57 Division 3(N),
1957-69 Division 2, 1969-80 Division 1,
1980-84 Division 2, 1984-86 Division 3,
1986-87 Division 2, 1987- Division 1.

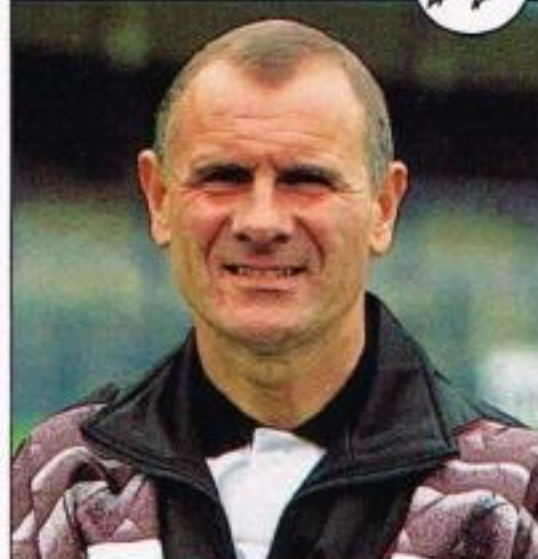
Honours: Division 1 Champions
1971-72, 1974-75, runners-up 1895-96,
1929-30, 1935-36. Division 2 Champions
1911-12, 1914-15, 1968-69, 1986-87,
runners-up 1925-26. Division 3(N)
Champions 1956-57, runners-up
1955-56. FA Cup winners 1946, runners-
up 1898, 1899, 1903.



DERBY COUNTY



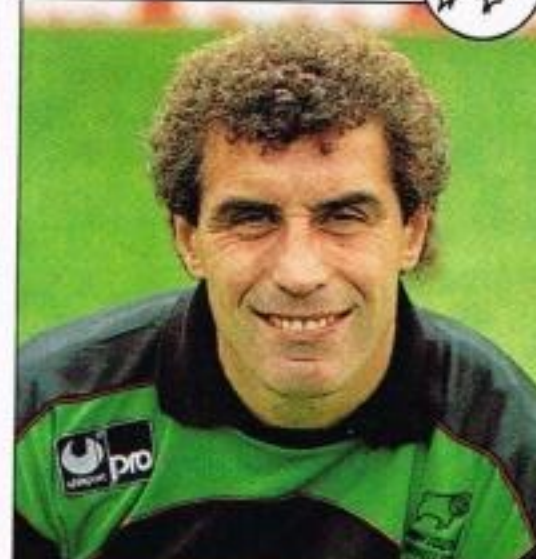
DERBY COUNTY



ARTHUR COX

Manager. Has acquired extensive experience of management and coaching with a variety of clubs. As a player with Coventry he had cruel luck when his career was ended by a broken leg at the age of 18.

DERBY COUNTY



PETER SHILTON

Goalkeeper. Born Leicester 18.9.49. Dedicated, superbly fit and possessing great agility, he has deservedly earned a reputation over 25 seasons in the game as one of the greatest goalkeepers in the world.

DERBY COUNTY



MIKE FORSYTH

Defender. Born Liverpool 20.3.66. This former England Youth international is now established as the Rams' first choice left-back. Good in the air, his progress has earned him selection for the Under-21 squad.

DERBY COUNTY



ROB HINDMARCH

Defender. Born Stannington 27.4.61. Signed from Sunderland in 1984 he was a key figure in the club's two successive promotion campaigns. Strong and dependable, this former England Youth international is now club captain.

DERBY COUNTY



TREVOR HEBBERD

Midfield. Born Winchester 19.6.58. Transferred from Oxford United in 1988 for £225,000. A versatile player who prefers to operate in midfield, he shows great skills when coming forward and is a great goal scorer.

DERBY COUNTY



PAUL GODDARD

Forward. Born Harlington 12.10.59. One of the most accomplished all-round strikers in the First Division, he was signed from Newcastle United in 1988. Target man who is always available for the through pass.

DERBY COUNTY

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MEL SAGE

Defender. Born Gillingham 24.3.64. Came to Derby from Gillingham in 1986. A footballing right-back in the classic mould, his rich talent is certain to make him a force in this season's Rams' defence.

DERBY COUNTY



MARK WRIGHT

Defender. Born Dorchester 1.8.63. Full England international who was signed from Southampton in 1987. An outstanding performer at the heart of the defence, he is very quick and dominant in the air.

DERBY COUNTY



GARY MICKLEWHITE

Midfield. Born Southwark 21.3.61. Former Manchester United and QPR player who joined the club in 1985. He is a hardworking and very quick mid-field dynamo and is a distant relative of film star Michael Caine.

DERBY COUNTY



GERAINT WILLIAMS

Midfield. Born Treorchy 5.1.62. Now established as one of the club's kingpins. His tigerish and efficient ball-winning and crisp distribution have helped him gain 8 full caps for Wales.

DERBY COUNTY



PHIL GEE

Forward. Born Pelsall 19.12.64. Former painter and decorator who was signed from non-league football in 1985. He has pace, good ball-control and is a fierce shot, he is assured of a great future.

DERBY COUNTY



DEAN SAUNDERS

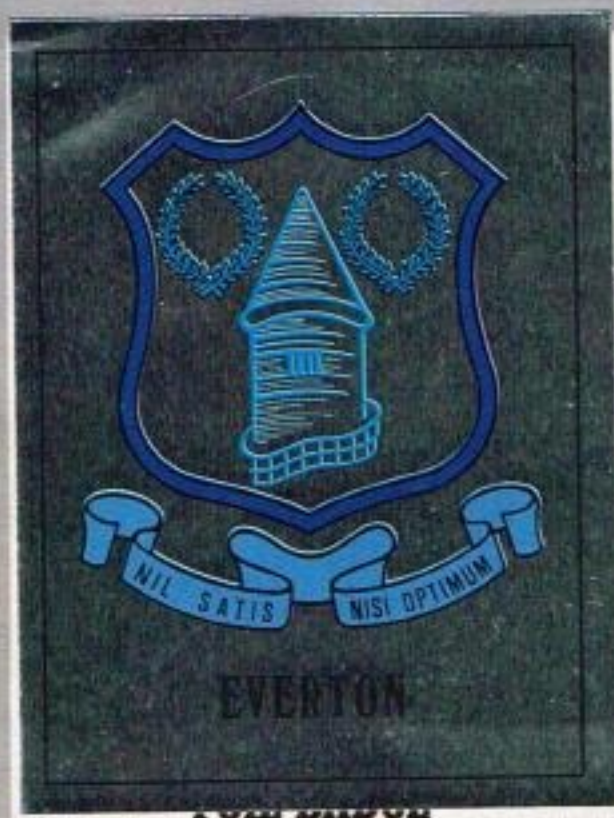
Forward. Born Swansea 21.6.64. Quickly made an impression for the Rams following a club record £1 million transfer from Oxford United in 1988. His quickness and eye for goal have earned him 13 Welsh caps.

DERBY COUNTY



TED McMINN

Forward. Born Castle Douglas 28.9.62. Scottish Under-21 winger who was signed from Spain in 1988. An unorthodox player who is equally at home on either flank, he is a firm favourite with the fans.



THE TOFFEE MEN

Address: Goodison Park, Liverpool L4 4EL.

Ground Capacity: 52,691.

Chairman: P. D. Carter CBE.

Manager: Colin Harvey.

Founded: 1878.

Former Names: St Domingo FC, 1878-79.

Most League Goals: William Ralph Dixie Dean, 349.

Most League Appearances: Ted Sagar, 465, 1929-53.

League History: 1888 Founder Members of the League, 1930-31 Division 2, 1931-51 Division 1, 1951-54 Division 2, 1954- Division 1.

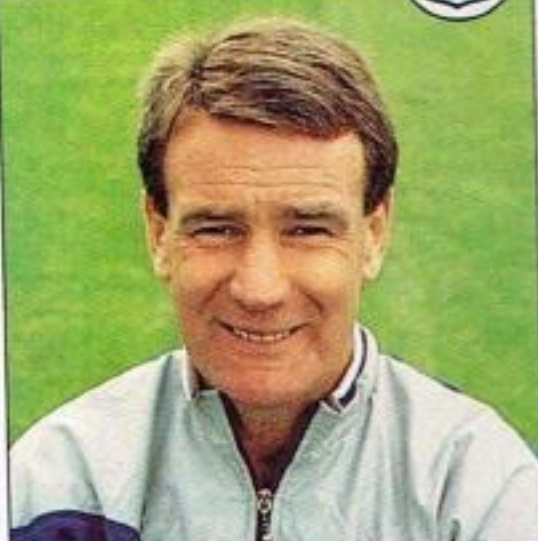
Honours: Division 1 Champions 1890-91, 1914-15, 1927-28, 1931-32, 1938-39, 1962-63, 1969-70, 1984-85, 1986-87, runners-up 1889-90, 1894-95, 1904-05, 1908-09, 1911-12, 1985-86. Division 2 Champions 1930-31, runners-up 1953-54. FA Cup winners 1906, 1933, 1966, 1984, runners-up 1893, 1897, 1907, 1968, 1985, 1986, 1989. League Cup runners-up 1977, 1984. Full Members' Cup runners-up 1989. European Cup-Winners' Cup winners 1985.



EVERTON



EVERTON



COLIN HARVEY

Manager. Former England international who was a highly successful player of exceptional ability with the club. Previously head coach, he took over as manager in 1987. Supported Everton from his schooldays.

EVERTON



DAVE WATSON

Defender. Born Liverpool 20.11.61. Perfect team player who was signed from Norwich City for £900,000 in 1986. Commands the penalty area and is equally effective in the air or on the ground.

EVERTON



STUART McCALL

Midfield. Born Leeds 10.6.64. Mobile, hard-working and possessing tireless energy, he was signed from Bradford City for £850,000 in 1988. He loves to attack and scored two goals in last season's FA Cup final.

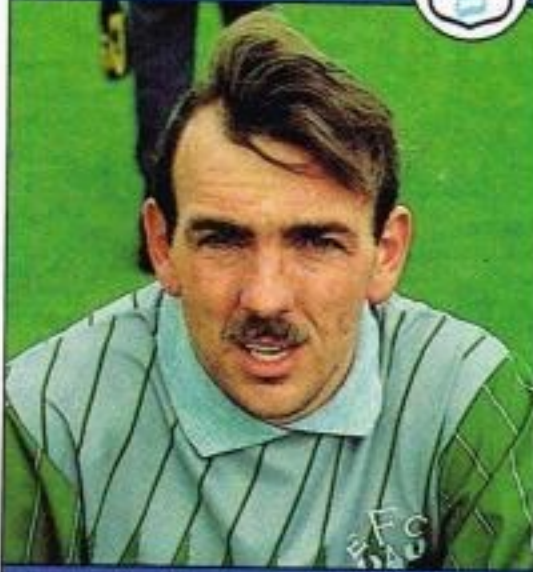
EVERTON



STEFAN REHN

Midfield. Born Stockholm 22.9.66. Swedish international signed from Djurgardeve FC of Stockholm for £400,000 during the close season. Superb ball player with tremendous skills who strokes the ball around to marvellous effect.

EVERTON



NEVILLE SOUTHALL

Goalkeeper. Born Llandudno 16.9.58. Wales' regular international goalkeeper for the last seven years with over 40 caps. Rated as one of the best in the world, he is brave and dominates the penalty.

EVERTON



IAN SNODIN

Defender. Born Rotherham 15.8.63. England Youth and Under-21 international who is now a member of the full squad. A speedy and aggressive midfielder who has been successfully converted to right-back.

EVERTON



KEVIN RATCLIFFE

Defender. Born Mancot 12.11.60. Captain of Everton and Wales and one of the quickest defenders in the League. A quality player and great leader, he has nearly 50 international caps to his credit.

EVERTON



MARTIN KEOWN

Defender. Born Oxford 24.7.66. Transferred from Aston Villa for £750,000 in 1989. A pacy defender who can play anywhere along the back four, he has represented the England Youth and Under-21 sides.

EVERTON



NORMAN WHITESIDE

Midfield. Born Belfast 7.5.65. Highly skilled Northern Ireland international who was signed from Manchester United during the close season for £700,000. Youngest player ever to take part in the World Cup final stages in 1982.

EVERTON



NEIL McDONALD

Midfield. Born Wallsend 2.11.65. Versatile Under-21 international who has also represented England at Schools and Youth level. Dominant in the air with good passing skills, he has scored a number of crucial goals.

EVERTON



TONY COTTEE

Forward. Born West Ham 11.7.65. His sharp reflexes, pace and two-footed shooting spell instant danger. England international who became British domestic football's costliest player when transferred from West Ham for £2.2 million in 1988.

EVERTON



PAT NEVIN

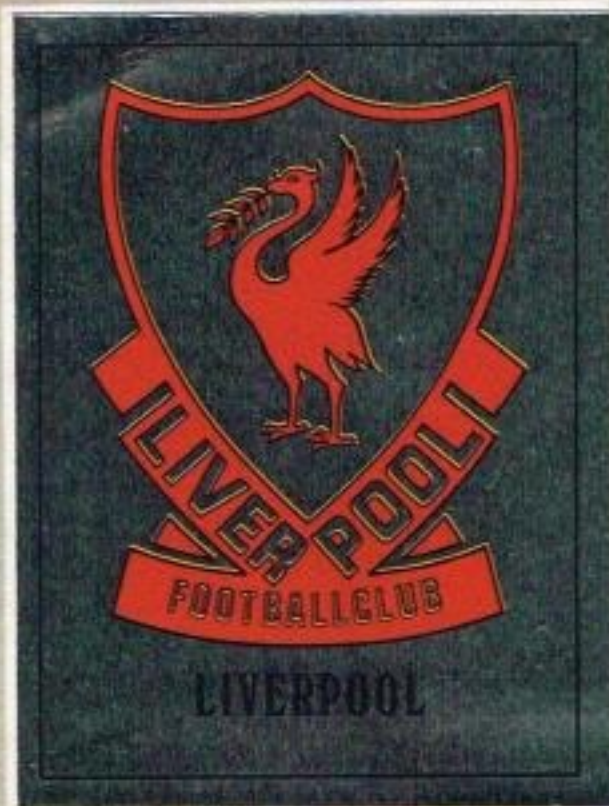
Forward. Born Glasgow 6.9.63. Scottish international right-winger who possesses infinite skills. He is a teasing touch-line artist with a bagful of tricks to devastate opponents.

EVERTON



GRAEME SHARP

Forward. Born Glasgow 16.10.60. Scottish cap who is adept on the ground as well as in the air. A hard worker who is likely to unsettle any defence with his courage around the goal-mouth.



THE REDS

Address: Anfield Road, Liverpool L4 0TH.

Ground Capacity: 45,600.

Chairman: J. W. Smith CBE, DL, JP.

Manager: Kenny Dalglish, MBE.

Founded: 1892.

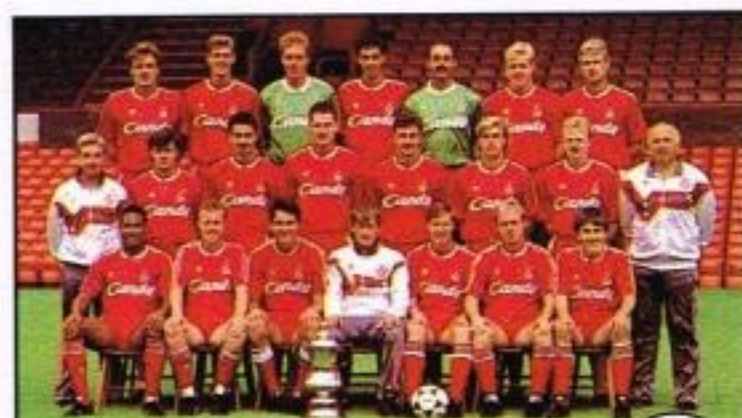
Former Names: None.

Most League Goals: Roger Hunt, 245.

Most League Appearances: Ian Callaghan, 640, 1960-78.

League History: 1893 Elected to Division 2, 1894-95 Division 1, 1895-96 Division 2, 1896-1904 Division 1, 1904-05 Division 2, 1905-54 Division 1, 1954-62 Division 2, 1962- Division 1.

Honours: Division 1 Champions 1900-01, 1905-06, 1921-22, 1922-23, 1946-47, 1963-64, 1965-66, 1972-73, 1975-76, 1976-77, 1978-79, 1979-80, 1981-82, 1982-83, 1983-84, 1985-86, 1987-88, (17 League Championships = a record), runners-up 1898-99, 1909-10, 1968-69, 1973-74, 1974-75, 1977-78, 1984-85, 1986-87, 1988-89. Division 2 Champions 1893-94, 1895-96, 1904-05, 1961-62. FA Cup winners 1965, 1974, 1986, 1989, runners-up 1914, 1950, 1971, 1977, 1988. League Cup winners 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, runners-up 1978, 1987. League Super Cup winners 1986. European Cup winners 1977, 1978, 1981, 1984, runners-up 1985. European Cup-Winners' Cup runners-up 1966. UEFA Cup winners 1973, 1976. European Super Cup winners 1977. World Club Championship runners-up 1981.



LIVERPOOL



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KENNY DALGLISH MBE

Manager. Has added to his dazzling list of honours as a player since taking over the managerial reins in 1985. Holds a record 102 Scottish caps and is the country's joint top scorer.

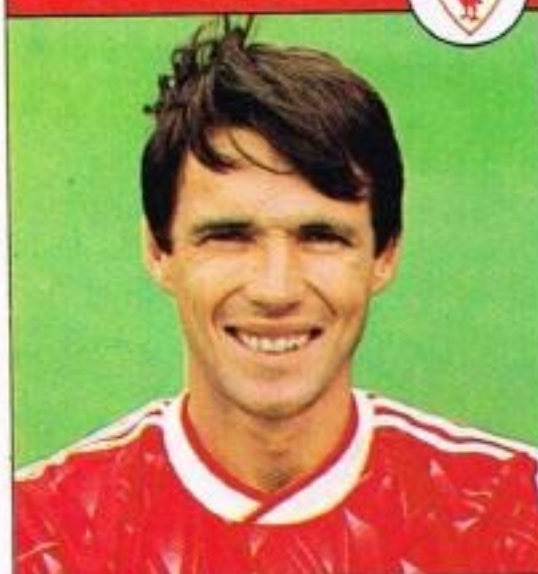
LIVERPOOL



BRUCE GROBBELAAR

Goalkeeper. Born South Africa 6.10.57. Zimbabwean international who was signed from Vancouver Whitecaps in 1981. A natural comedian whose all-round ability has earned him a reputation as one of the finest keepers in Europe.

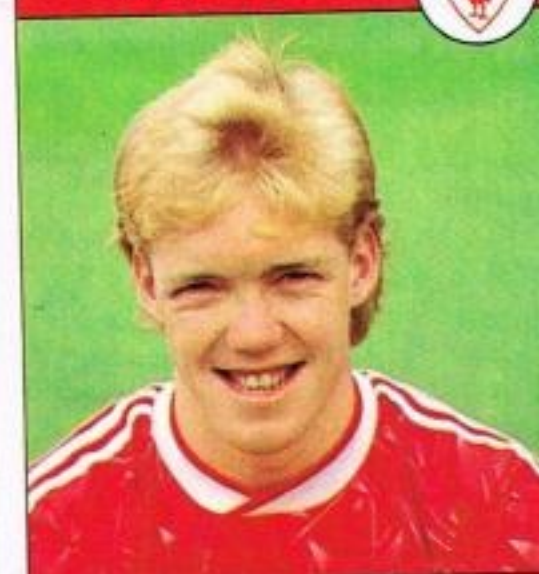
LIVERPOOL



ALAN HANSEN

Defender. Born Alloa 13.6.55. A sound tactician for club and country. A composed and stylish performer whose hard tackles are usually perfectly timed. Excellent athlete who has represented Scotland Under-18s at squash, golf and volleyball.

LIVERPOOL



STEVE STAUNTON

Defender. Born Drogheda 19.1.69. Signed from Irish club Dundalk in 1986, he has now established a regular first-team spot. Attacking left-back who crosses the ball well, he has good powers of recovery.

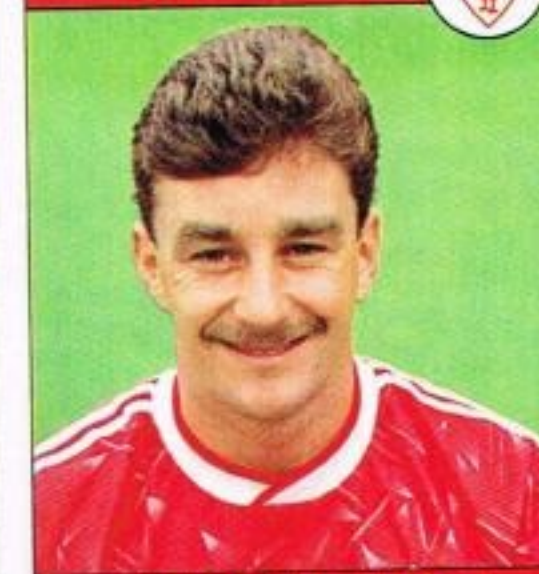
LIVERPOOL



RONNIE WHELAN

Midfield. Born Dublin 25.9.61. Experienced team captain who came to Anfield from famous Dublin nursery club Home Farm in 1979. A great leader, he has scored many valuable goals during Liverpool's success story of the 80s.

LIVERPOOL



JOHN ALDRIDGE

Forward. Born Liverpool 18.9.58. Prolific striker who has twice been the club's top scorer. Deadly marksman from the penalty spot who has hit hat-tricks in all four Divisions of the Football League.

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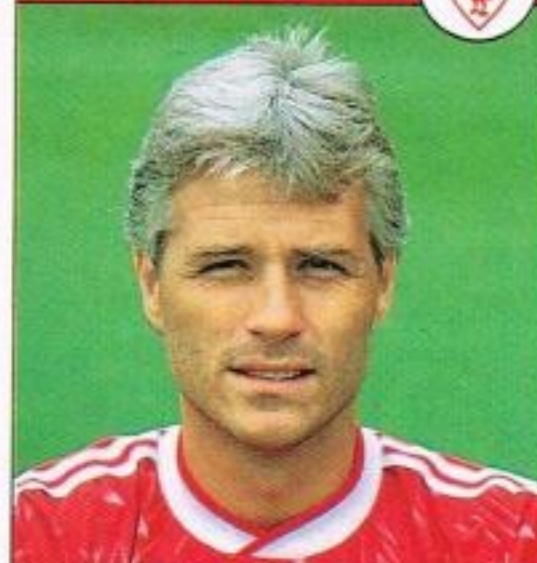
LIVERPOOL



GARY ABLETT

Defender. Born Liverpool 19.11.65. Versatile England Under-21 defender who is a product of the Anfield youth system. A player of great potential, he is consistently good in the air, and possesses great positional sense.

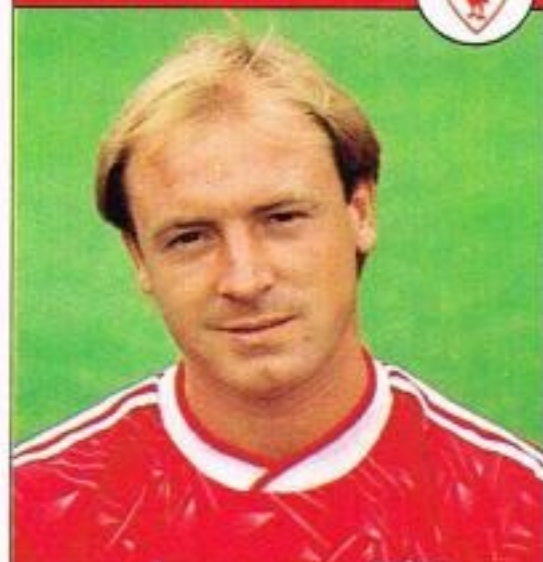
LIVERPOOL



GLENN HYSEN

Defender. Born Sweden 30.10.59. Swedish international captain who was transferred from Fiorentina of Italy for £600,000 during the close season. Cool and commanding, he is powerful in the air, mobile and uses the ball intelligently from defence.

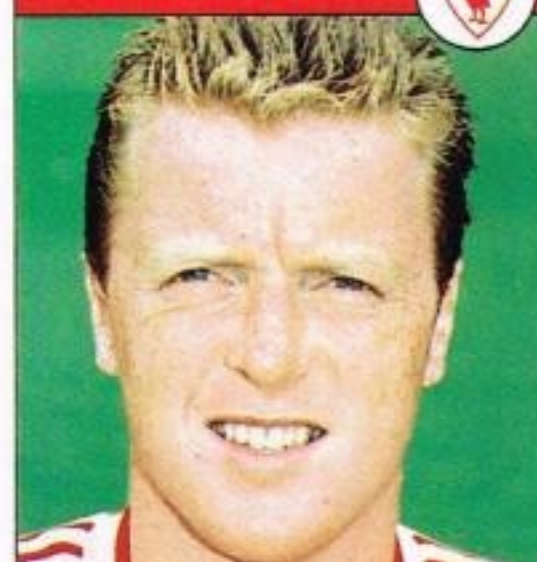
LIVERPOOL



STEVE McMAHON

Midfield. Born Liverpool 20.8.61. Began his career at neighbours Everton before being signed from Aston Villa for £375,000 in 1985. Influential and very hard-working, his attacking abilities have brought him two career hat-tricks.

LIVERPOOL



STEVE NICOL

Midfield. Born Irvine 11.12.61. Super utility player who is a versatile and integral part of the Anfield team. Highly skilled, determined and brave with many honours to his credit. Player of the Year last season.

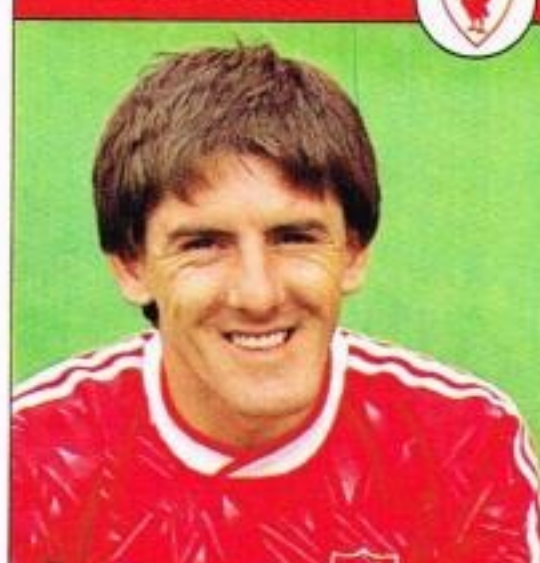
LIVERPOOL



JOHN BARNES

Forward. Born Jamaica 7.11.63. One of England's most classy and exciting attackers. Moved from Watford in 1987 for £900,000. Has scored over a century of League goals and gained more than 30 England caps.

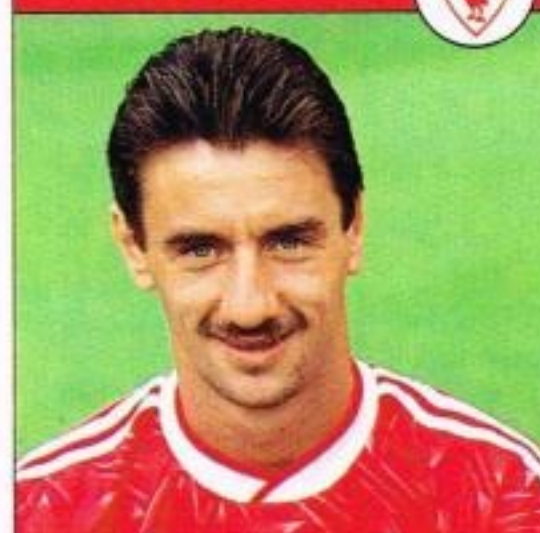
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PETER BEARDSLEY

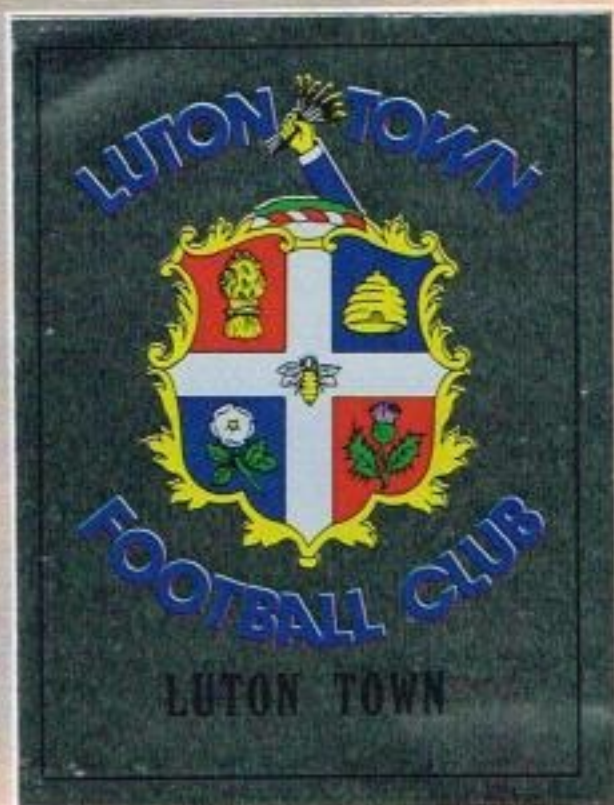
Forward. Born Newcastle 18.1.61. England international who joined the club from Newcastle United for a then British record fee of £1.9 million in 1987. Possesses great vision, great distribution and a fine eye for goal.

LIVERPOOL



IAN RUSH

Forward. Born Flint 20.10.61. Welsh international striker with over 40 caps who returned to Anfield from Italian club Juventus in 1988 for £2.8 million. Has scored well over 200 goals for the Reds.



THE HATTERS

Address: Kenilworth Road, Luton.

Ground Capacity: 14,700.

Chairman: David J. Evans, MP.

Manager: Ray Harford.

Founded: 1885.

Former Names: None.

Most League Goals: Gordon Turner, 243.

Most League Appearances: Bob Morton, 494, 1948-64.

League History: 1897 Elected to Division 2, 1900 failed re-election, 1920 Elected to Division 3, 1921-37 Division 3(S), 1937-55 Division 2, 1955-60 Division 1, 1960-63 Division 2, 1963-65 Division 3, 1965-68 Division 4, 1968-70 Division 3, 1970-74 Division 2, 1974-75 Division 1, 1975-82 Division 2, 1982- Division 1.

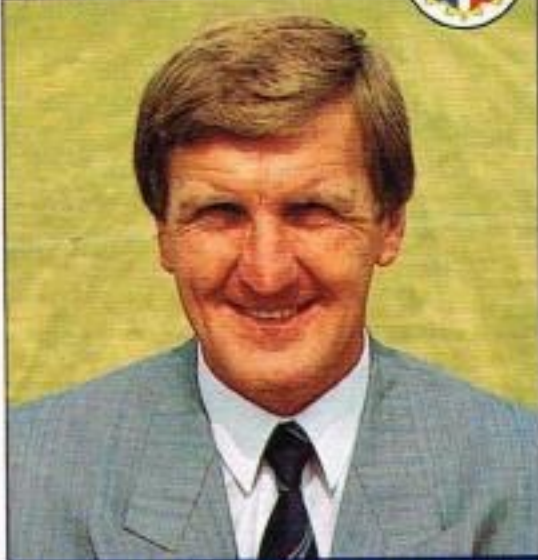
Honours: Division 2 Champions 1981-82, runners-up 1954-55, 1973-74. Division 3 runners-up 1969-70. Division 4 Champions 1967-68. Division 3(S) Champions 1936-37, runners-up 1935-36. FA Cup runners-up 1959. League Cup winners 1988, runners-up 1989. Full Members' Cup runners-up 1988.



LUTON TOWN



LUTON TOWN



RAY HARFORD

Manager. Had a varied career in the lower divisions where he played 354 League games. Promoted from coach to manager in 1987 and led the club to their first major honour in their 102-year history.

LUTON TOWN



DARRON McDONOUGH

Defender. Born Antwerp 7.11.62. Joined an exclusive club when he scored on his Football League debut for Oldham where he spent 8 seasons before signing for the Hatters in 1986. Very quick, determined ball-winner.

LUTON TOWN



JOHN DREYER

Defender. Born Alnwick 11.6.63. Versatile defender who can play in the middle or on the left of the back four. Heads the ball well and is very quick, with a liking for going forward especially at set pieces.

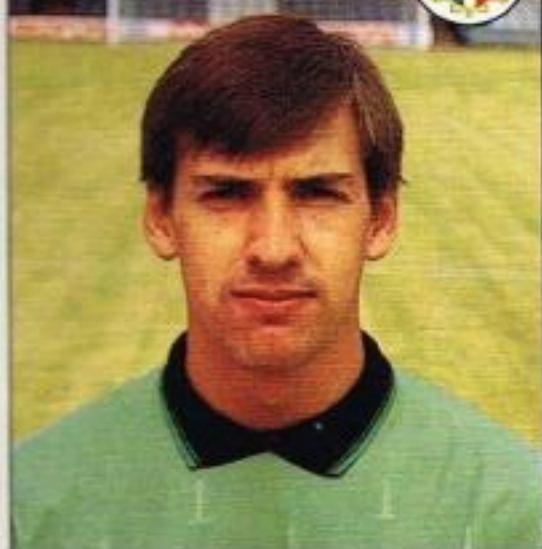
LUTON TOWN



STEVE WILLIAMS

Midfield. Born London 12.7.58. Artistic former England international who was signed from Arsenal for a club record fee of £300,000 in 1988. Brings players into the game and opens up defences with very accurate passes.

LUTON TOWN



ALEC CHAMBERLAIN

Goalkeeper. Born March 20.6.64. Highly promising, quick-thinking and agile keeper who was signed from Everton for £150,000. Formerly with Ipswich and Colchester where he was ever-present for four seasons. Good positional sense.

LUTON TOWN



TIM BREACKER

Defender. Born Bicester 2.7.65. Strong, overlapping full-back who has worked his way through the ranks to become a first-team regular and win England Under-21 honours. A sure tackler who uses the ball to advantage.

LUTON TOWN



DAVID BEAUMONT

Defender. Born Edinburgh 10.12.63. Bought from Dundee United for a bargain £150,000 last season. A versatile central-defender with a no-nonsense style, he promises great value for a modest investment. Sound in his tackling and positional play.

LUTON TOWN



DAVID PREECE

Midfield. Born Bridgnorth 28.5.63. Made 134 appearances for Walsall before Luton paid £150,000 for his services in 1984. A firm crowd favourite because of his busy style of play and neat touches.

LUTON TOWN



DANNY WILSON

Midfield. Born Wigan 1.1.60. Determined and tenacious right-side player who came to Kenilworth Road from Brighton for £150,000 in 1987. Northern Ireland international who loves to get into the box and score goals.

LUTON TOWN



KINGSLEY BLACK

Midfield. Born Luton 22.6.68. Young, speedy, tricky outside-left who is destined to tease many a defender. Capped by Billy Bingham for Northern Ireland following a superb display in the 1988 Littlewood's Cup Final.

LUTON TOWN



RICHARD COOKE

Forward. Born Islington 4.9.65. Following four seasons with Spurs he was recently signed from Bournemouth for £100,000. Shows tremendous pace wide on the right and is an excellent crosser of the ball.

LUTON TOWN



MICK HARFORD

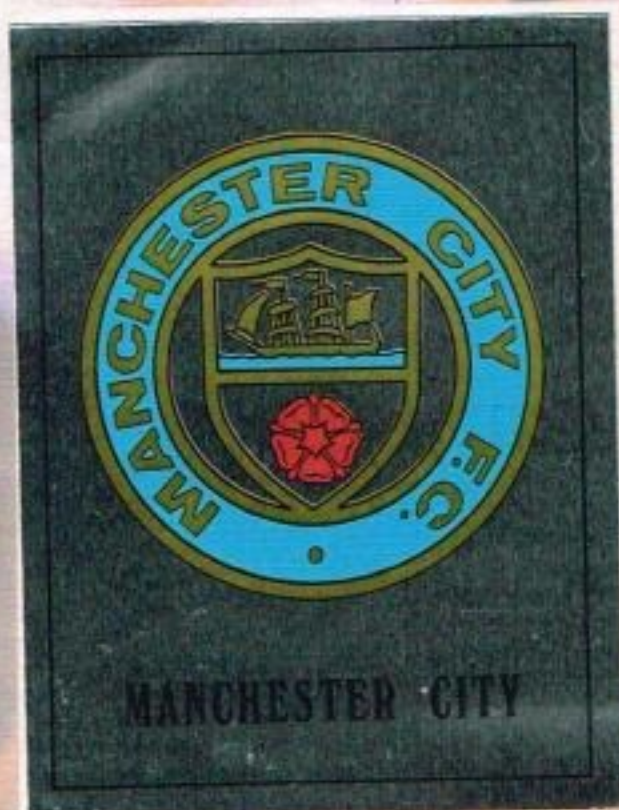
Forward. Born Sunderland 12.2.59. Cost a club record £275,000 from Birmingham City in 1984 and has since progressed to win England honours. Plays with great determination, possesses impressive heading ability and scores regularly.

LUTON TOWN



ROY WEGERLE

Forward. Born South Africa 19.3.64. Snapped up from Chelsea in 1988 and became an instant success, his outstanding displays attracting the attention of Scotland. Played for Tampa Bay Rowdies in America before coming to England.



CITY

Address: Maine Road, Moss Side, Manchester M14 7WN.

Ground Capacity: 52,600.

Chairman: P.J. Swales.

Manager: Mel Machin.

Founded: 1887.

Former Names: Ardwick FC 1887-95.

Most League Goals: Tommy Johnson, 158.

Most League Appearances: Alan Oakes, 565, 1959-76.

League History: 1892 Founder Members of Division 2 (as Ardwick FC), 1884 Elected to Division 2 (as Manchester C), 1894-99 Division 2, 1899-1902 Division 1, 1902-03 Division 2, 1903-09 Division 1, 1909-10 Division 2, 1910-26 Division 1, 1926-28 Division 2, 1928-38 Division 1, 1938-47 Division 2, 1947-50 Division 1, 1950-51 Division 2, 1951-63 Division 1, 1963-66 Division 2, 1966-83 Division 1, 1983-85 Division 2, 1985-87 Division 1, 1987-89 Division 2, 1989- Division 1.

Honours: Division 1 Champions 1936-37, 1967-68, runners-up 1903-04, 1920-21, 1976-77. Division 2 Champions 1898-99, 1902-03, 1909-10, 1927-28, 1946-47, 1965-66, runners-up 1895-96, 1950-51, 1988-89. FA Cup winners 1904, 1934, 1956, 1969, runners-up 1926, 1933, 1955, 1981. League Cup winners 1970, 1976, runners-up 1974. European Cup-Winners' Cup winners 1970. Full Members' Cup runners-up 1986.



MANCHESTER CITY

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MEL MACHIN

Manager. Guided the Blues back into the First Division just two years after taking over at Maine Road in 1987. Previously first team coach at Norwich when they won the Littlewood's Cup in 1985.

MANCHESTER CITY



MARK SEAGRAVES

Defender. Born Bootle 22.10.66. Powerful centre-half who is looking to establish himself in the first team this season. Signed from Liverpool where his opportunities were limited by the strength of the Anfield club.

MANCHESTER CITY



IAN BISHOP

Midfield. Born Liverpool 29.5.65. Stylish play-maker who was signed from Bournemouth during the close season for £750,000. Tigerish, with a great appetite for the game, he also reads the game well.

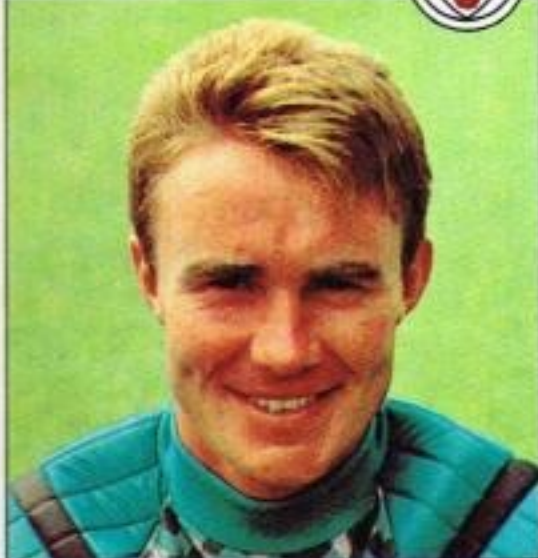
MANCHESTER CITY



NIGEL GLEGHORN

Midfield. Born Seaham 12.8.62. Plays wide on the left-flank and is an excellent dribbler of the ball. Moved to City in 1988 and has been known to take over the goalkeeper's jersey in emergencies.

MANCHESTER CITY



ANDY DIBBLE

Goalkeeper. Born Cwmbran 8.5.65. Came from Luton Town where he will always be remembered for his vital penalty save as the Hatters won the 1988 Littlewood's Cup Final. Welsh international with a bright future.

MANCHESTER CITY



ANDY HINCHCLIFFE

Defender. Born Manchester 5.2.69. A member of City's Youth Cup winning team in 1986, he has a good footballing brain and a cultured left foot. Made his England Under-21 international debut in 1988.

MANCHESTER CITY



BRIAN GAYLE

Defender. Born London 6.3.65. 'General' of the side who marshals his defence in a commanding and dominant fashion. Determined central defender who signed for City from Wimbledon in 1988 for £325,000.

MANCHESTER CITY



STEVE REDMOND

Defender. Born Liverpool 2.11.67. Talented and confident defender with tremendous pace. Good in tight situations, he was the youngest ever team captain of Manchester City in 1988. Also led the England Under-21s in the European Championships.

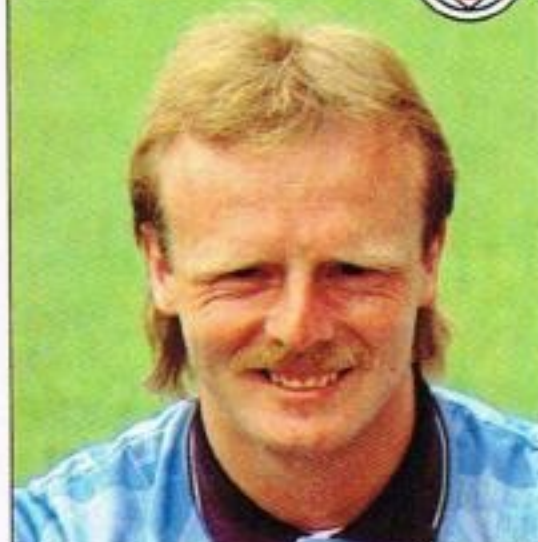
MANCHESTER CITY



GARY MEGSON

Midfield. Born Manchester 2.5.59. Very experienced midfield player who hates to lose possession. Made over 400 senior appearances with Plymouth, Everton, Nottingham Forest, Newcastle and Sheffield Wednesday from whom he signed in 1989.

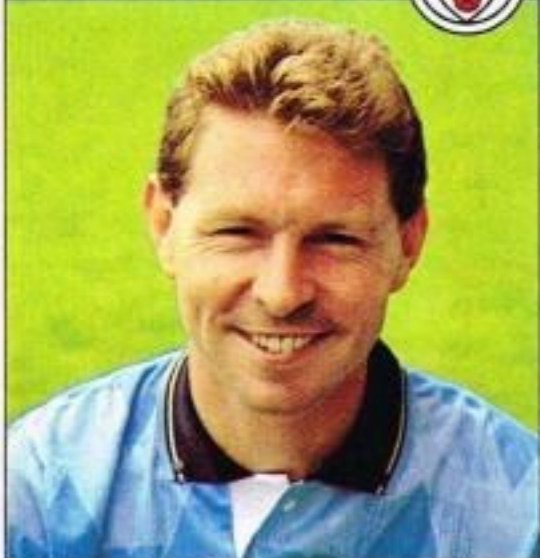
MANCHESTER CITY



NEIL McNAB

Midfield. Born Greenock 4.6.57. Fiery Scottish Under-23 international whose infectious enthusiasm spreads through the team. Supporters' Player of the Year, his past clubs include Morton, Spurs, Bolton, Brighton and Leeds.

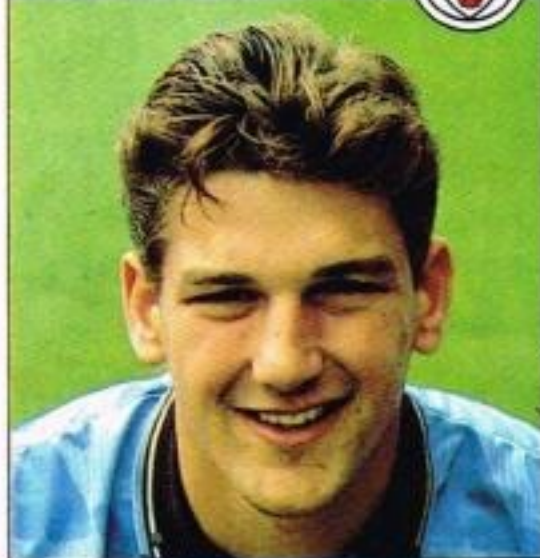
MANCHESTER CITY



CLIVE ALLEN

Forward. Born London 20.5.61. Prolific scorer whose sharpness and positional sense give him the ability to snap up chances. Signed from Bordeaux for £750,000 in 1989, he has been involved five times in transfers worth £1 million or more.

MANCHESTER CITY



DAVID WHITE

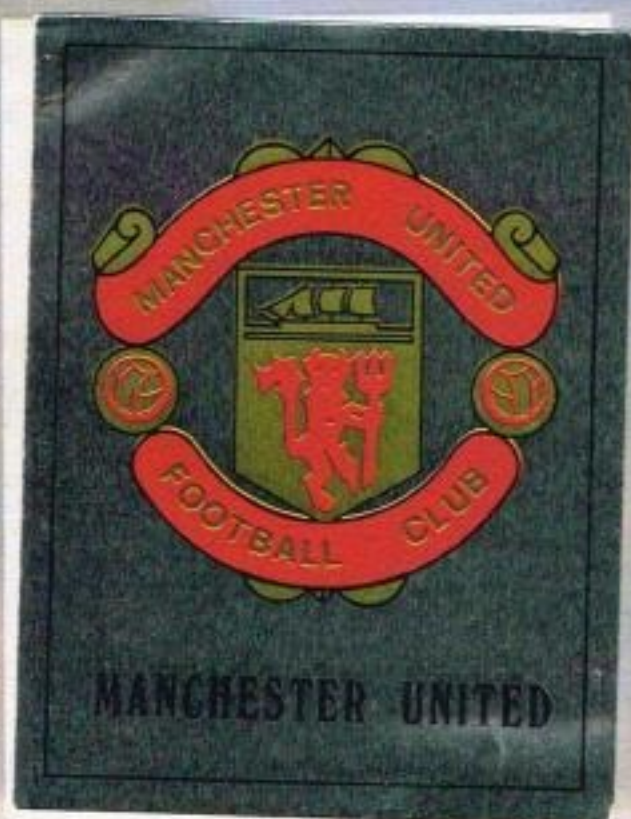
Forward. Born Manchester 30.10.67. Tall, direct right-winger with tremendous pace, he is yet another member of the FA Youth Cup winning team. An England Under-21 international, his marksmanship is of the highest order.

MANCHESTER CITY



DAVID OLDFIELD

Forward. Born Australia 30.5.68. Very effective striker who can score from all angles, he was signed from Luton Town for £600,000. A great prospect, he has been capped for England at Under-21 level.



THE RED DEVILS

Address: Old Trafford, Manchester M16 0RA.

Ground Capacity: 56,385.

Chairman: C. M. Edwards.

Manager: Alex Ferguson.

Founded: 1878.

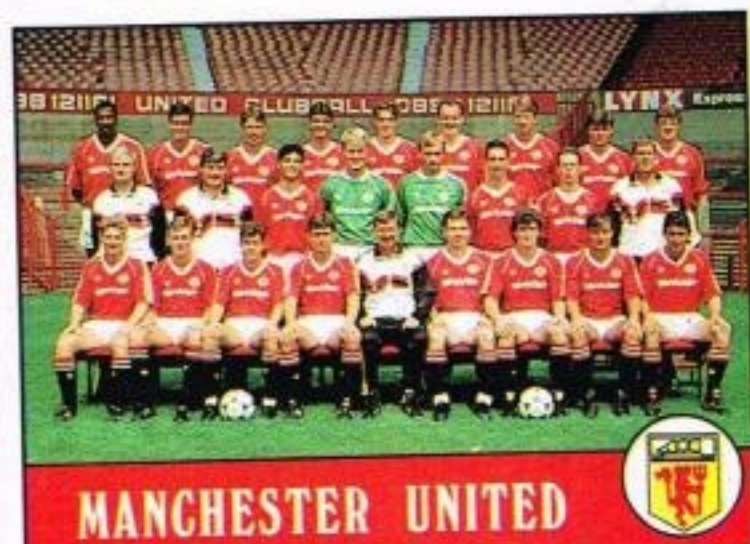
Former Names: Newton Heath LYR 1878-1902.

Most League Goals: Bobby Charlton, 198.

Most League Appearances: Bobby Charlton, 606, 1956-73.

League History: 1892 Newton Heath elected to Division 1, 1894-1906 Division 2, 1906-22 Division 1, 1922-25 Division 2, 1925-31 Division 1, 1931-36 Division 2, 1936-37 Division 1, 1937-38 Division 2, 1938-74 Division 1, 1974-75 Division 2, 1975- Division 1.

Honours: Division 1 Champions 1907-08, 1910-11, 1951-52, 1955-56, 1956-57, 1964-65, 1966-67, runners-up 1946-47, 1947-48, 1948-49, 1950-51, 1958-59, 1963-64, 1967-68, 1979-80, 1987-88. Division 2 Champions 1935-36, 1974-75, runners-up 1896-97, 1905-06, 1924-25, 1937-38. FA Cup winners 1909, 1948, 1963, 1977, 1983, 1985, runners-up 1957, 1958, 1976, 1979. League Cup runners-up 1982-83. European Cup winners 1968.



MANCHESTER UNITED



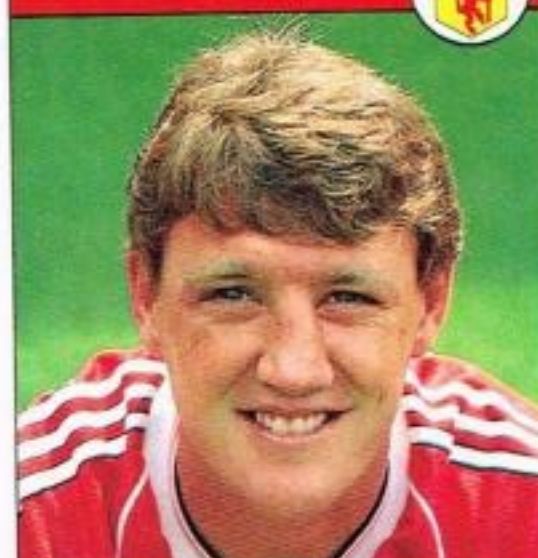
MANCHESTER UNITED



ALEX FERGUSON

Manager. Has wide and varied experience as both a player and manager in Scottish football. In 1978 he was appointed manager of Aberdeen, heralding their best-ever period, before joining United in 1986.

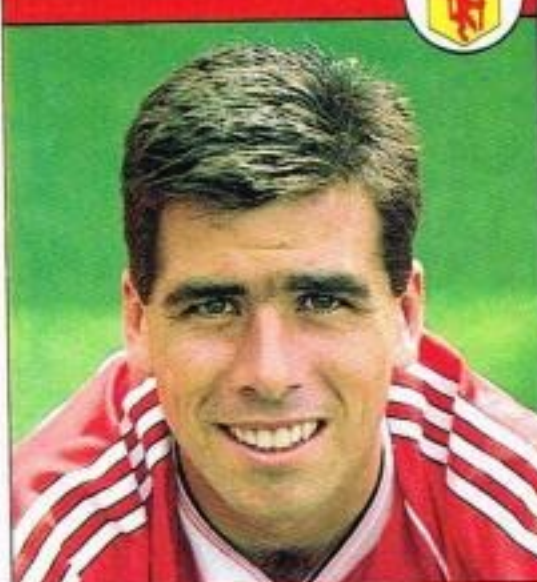
MANCHESTER UNITED



STEVE BRUCE

Defender. Born Newcastle 31.12.60. Former England Youth international who also played in the Football League XI. Regarded as one of Britain's finest central defenders, he has excellent constructive qualities allied to a touch of style.

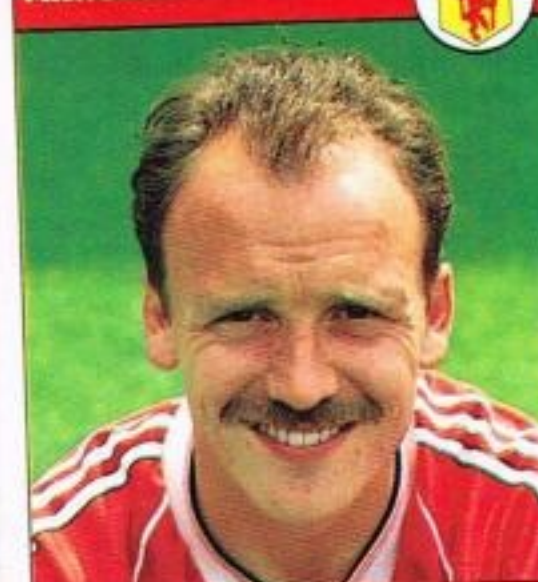
MANCHESTER UNITED



NEIL WEBB

Midfield. Born Reading 30.7.63. England international who has also played with success for the Under-21 side. A powerful and constructive player who likes to attack, he has a tremendous goal-scoring record for a midfield player.

MANCHESTER UNITED

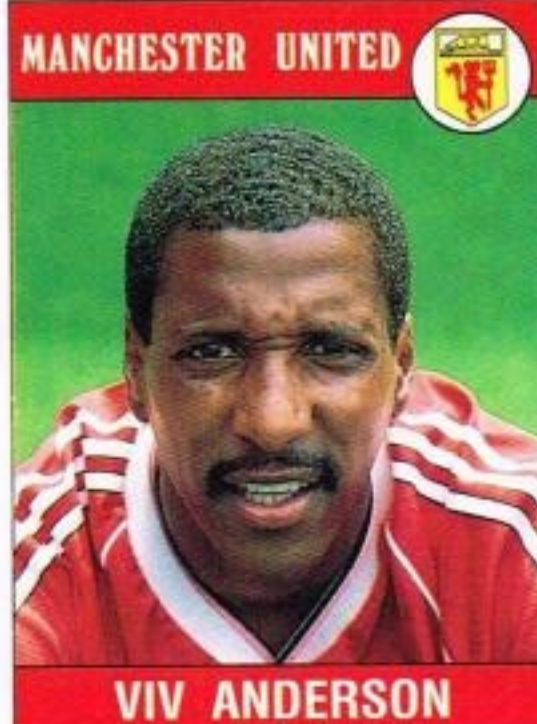


MIKE PHELAN

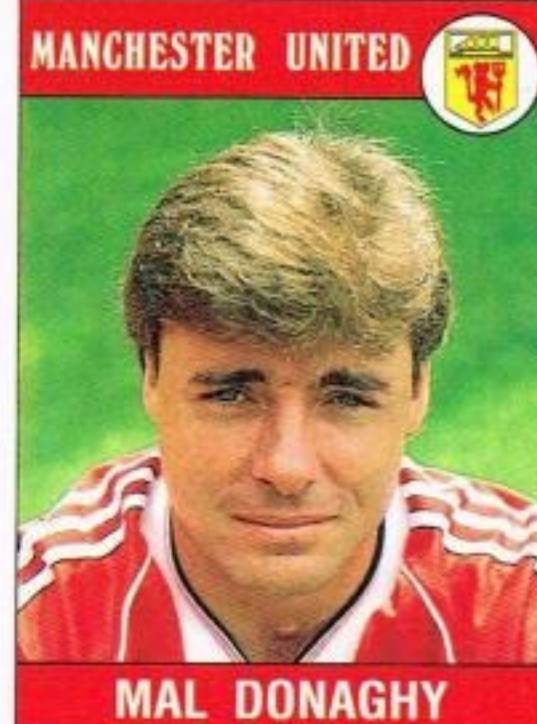
Midfield. Born Nelson 24.9.62. Signed during the close season for £750,000 from Norwich City where he was the club's highly influential team captain. Controls midfield with his commitment and precise ball distribution.



Goalkeeper. Born Johnstone 24.7.58. Scottish international keeper who played over 300 League matches and gained many honours with Aberdeen before moving south in 1988. Remarkably consistent, he has tremendous concentration and rarely makes an error.



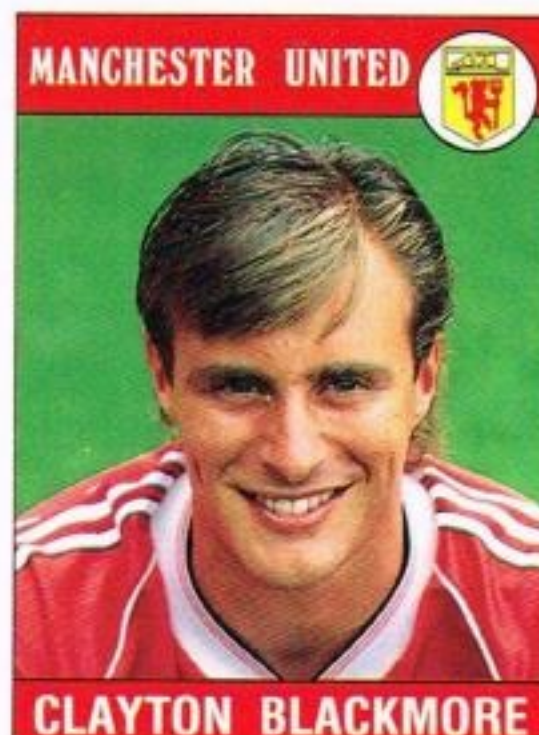
Defender. Born Nottingham 29.8.56. Speedy, attacking full-back who tackles well. Previously with Nottingham Forest and Arsenal he has represented England in the Under-21 and 'B' sides and also gained nearly 40 full caps.



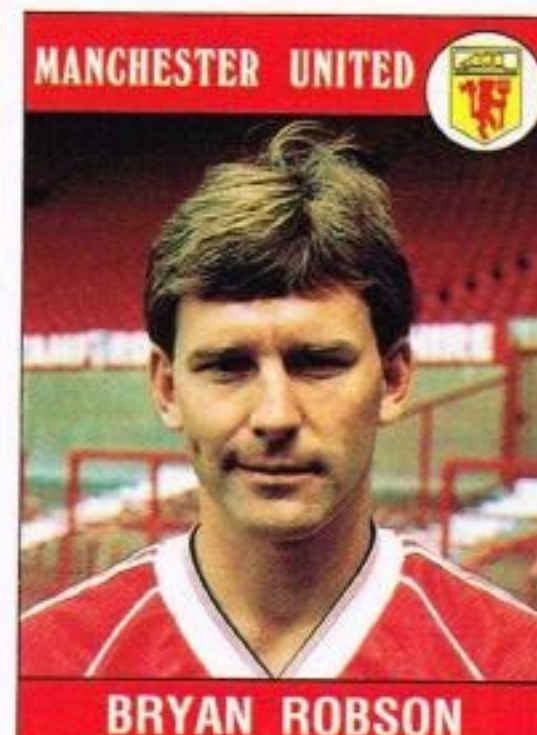
Defender. Born Belfast 13.9.57. Highly experienced full-back who was signed from Luton Town. A classy and polished performer who played well over 400 games for the Hatters and has collected 58 Northern Ireland caps.



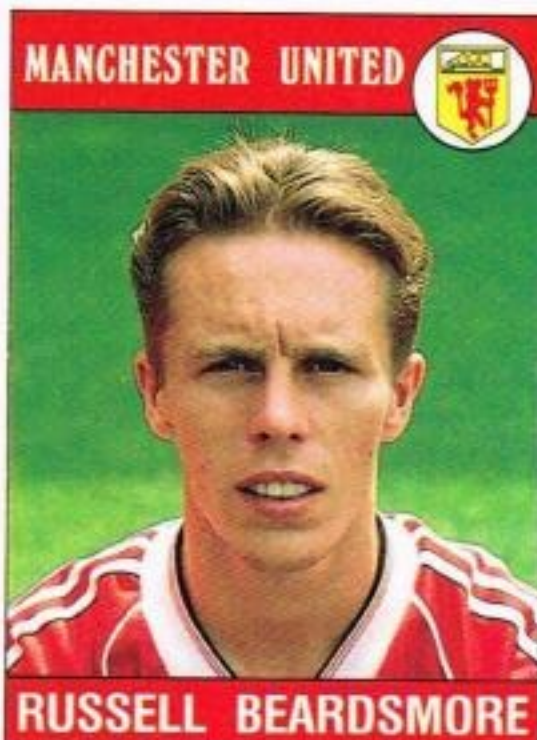
Defender. Born Halesowen 25.5.71. Highly promising and talented youngster who came to Old Trafford after being discovered at Torquay. Originally a winger but has been converted to defence where his speed and acceleration indicate a great future.



Midfield. Born Neath 23.9.64. A product of the apprentice ranks at Old Trafford who became a Schoolboy, Youth, Under-21 and full international for his native Wales. A versatile player with a terrific shot.



Midfield. Born Chester-le-Street 11.1.57. Inspirational captain of both club and country, he is highly skilled, determined and brave. In over 400 first-class games he has taken his career total of goals to over 100.



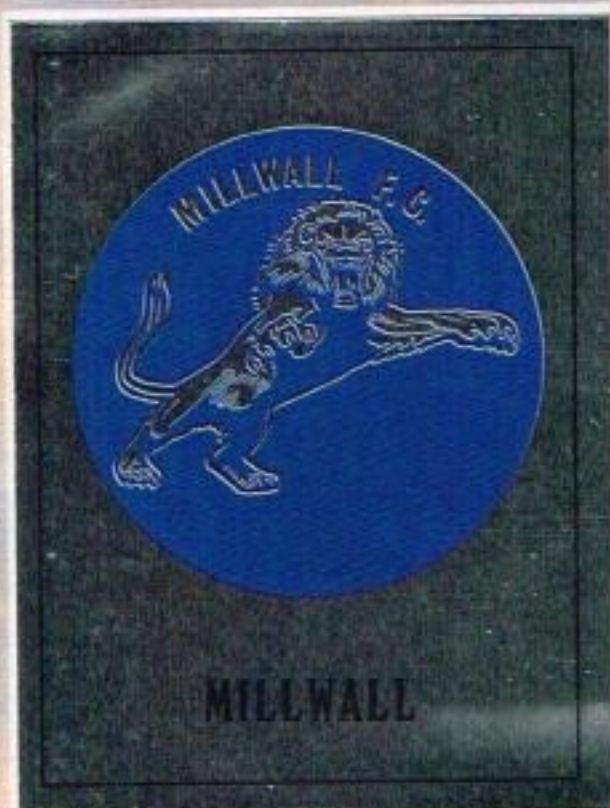
Midfield. Born Wigan 28.9.68. Richly talented young player who is looking to establish a first-team spot this season. Fast and tricky, he gives width to the midfield and his dribbling skills enable him to beat defenders and cross the ball with pinpoint accuracy.



Forward. Born Bellshill 8.12.63. Previously played with Aston Villa, Motherwell and Celtic before moving to Old Trafford in 1987. Excellent front-man and United's Player of the Year in his first season with the Reds.



Forward. Born Wrexham 1.11.63. Strong, powerful striker with a potent shot. His sharpness around the penalty area makes him an essential component of the team. Also played for Barcelona and Bayern Munich. Over 20 Welsh caps.



THE LIONS

Address: The Den, Cold Blow Lane, London, SE14 5RH.

Ground Capacity: 19,000.

Chairman: R. I. Burr.

Manager: John Docherty.

Founded: 1885.

Former Names: Millwall Rovers 1885, Millwall Athletic 1889.

Most League Goals: Derek Possee, 79.

Most League Appearances: Barry Kitchener, 523, 1967-82.

League History: 1920 Founder Members of Division 3, 1921 Division 3(S), 1928-34 Division 2, 1934-38 Division 3(S), 1938-48 Division 2, 1948-58 Division 3(S), 1958-62 Division 4, 1962-64 Division 3, 1964-65 Division 4, 1965-66 Division 3, 1966-75 Division 2, 1975-76 Division 3, 1976-79 Division 2, 1979-85 Division 3, 1985-88 Division 2, 1988- Division 1.

Honours: Division 2 Champions 1987-88. Division 3 runners-up 1965-66, 1984-85. Division 4 Champions 1961-62, runners-up 1964-65. Division 3(S) Champions 1927-28, 1937-38. Associate Members' Cup winners 1983.



MILLWALL

MILLWALL



JOHN DOCHERTY

Manager. Two memorable seasons have followed since his appointment in 1986 with promotion from Division 2 for the first time in the club's history. In his playing days a forward who combined skill with determination.

MILLWALL



ALAN McLEARY

Defender. Born London 6.10.64. England Youth and Under-21 central-defender who progressed through the junior sides. Influential team captain who reads the game well, possesses good positional sense and is a great cover-tackler.

MILLWALL



TERRY HURLOCK

Midfield. Born Hackney 22.9.58. Powerfully built player who has played a big part in the rise of the club. England 'B' cap who is very aggressive, uncompromising and known for the accuracy of his passing.

MILLWALL



JIMMY CARTER

Midfield. Born London 9.11.65. A jinking right-winger who loves to take on the full-back, he was formerly with Crystal Palace and QPR. Very fast, a good crosser of the ball and scores important goals.

MILLWALL



BRIAN HORNE

Goalkeeper. Born Billericay 5.10.67. Has held the first-team spot since his debut in 1986. An agile and brave keeper who handles low shots especially well, he was included in last season's England Under-21 squad.

MILLWALL



DANIS SALMAN

Defender. Born Cyprus 12.3.60. England Youth international who made over 300 appearances with Brentford before his arrival at the Den. Strong, attacking right-back who is exceptionally quick and crosses the ball well.

MILLWALL



KEITH STEVENS

Defender. Born Merton 21.6.64. Developed through the apprentice ranks and made his debut at the tender age of 16. Well-built for defensive play, he shows strength and aggression in the tackle and is good in the air.

MILLWALL



IAN DAWES

Defender. Born Aldershot 5.1.65. Attained English international schoolboy status and was spotted by Wimbledon from where he was signed for £150,000 in 1988. An excellent passer of the ball who can play on either flank.

MILLWALL



STEVE WOOD

Defender. Born Bracknell 2.2.63. Developed in the apprentice ranks at Reading and was transferred to Millwall in 1987. Very strong and a fine header of the ball, he reads the game well and passes superbly from the back.

MILLWALL



LES BRILEY

Midfield. Born Lambeth 2.10.56. Now enjoying First Division football for the first time after 12 years in the lower divisions. Very experienced and tenacious team captain who organises the midfield and leads by example.

MILLWALL



TONY CASCARINO

Forward. Born St. Paul's Cray 1.9.62. Regular member of the Eire international side who was signed from Gillingham in 1987 for £225,000. Quick and superb in the air, he is a prolific goalscorer.

MILLWALL



KEVIN O'CALLAGHAN

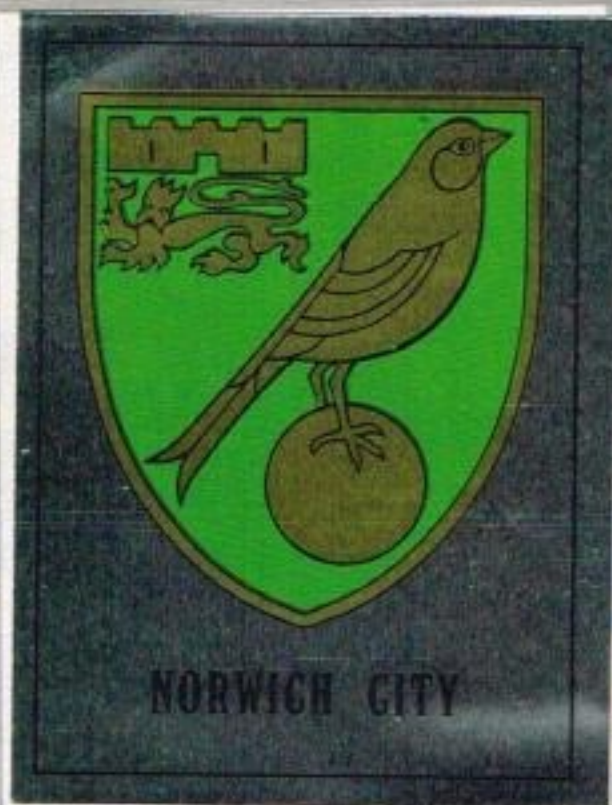
Forward. Born London 19.10.61. Clever left-winger who started with Millwall and returned to the Den in 1987. Republic of Ireland international with 20 caps who supplies the ammunition for many of their main strikers shots.

MILLWALL



TEDDY SHERINGHAM

Forward. Born Higham's Park 2.4.66. A Millwall discovery who has won England Youth and Under-21 honours. Intelligent, first-touch striker with good close-control, he is an excellent header of the ball.



THE CANARIES

Address: Carrow Road, Norwich
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Ground Capacity: 26,408.

Chairman: Robert T. Chase JP.

Manager: Dave Stringer.

Founded: 1902.

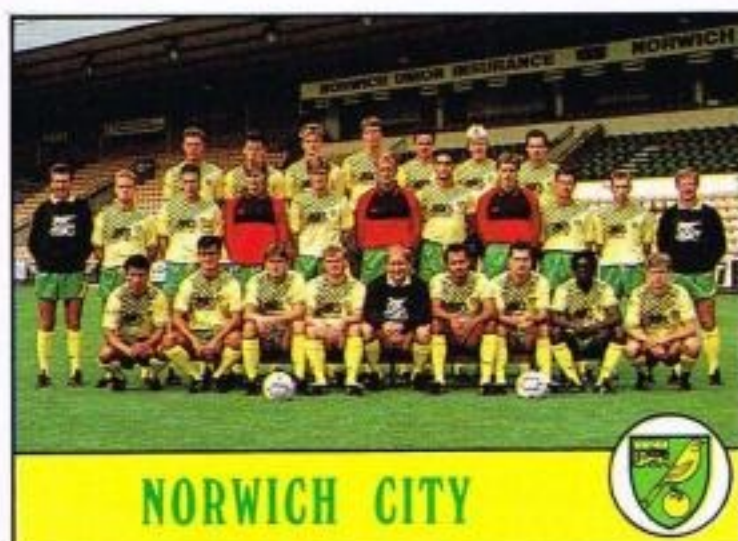
Former Names: None.

Most League Goals: Johnny Gavin,
122.

Most League Appearances:
Ron Ashman, 590, 1947-64.

League History: 1920 Founder
Members of Division 3, 1921-34 Division
3(S), 1934-39 Division 2, 1946-58 Division
3(S), 1958-60 Division 3, 1960-72 Division
2, 1972-74 Division 1, 1974-75 Division 2,
1975-81 Division 1, 1981-82 Division 2,
1982-85 Division 1, 1985-86 Division 2,
1986- Division 1.

Honours: Division 2 Champions
1971-72, 1985-86. Division 3 runners-up
1959-60. Division 3(S) Champions
1933-34. League Cup winners 1962,
1985, runners-up 1973, 1975.



NORWICH CITY



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DAVE STRINGER

Manager. England Youth international defender in his playing days for Norwich and Cambridge United. Has been manager since 1987 and took the Canaries to their highest-ever Division 1 position last season.

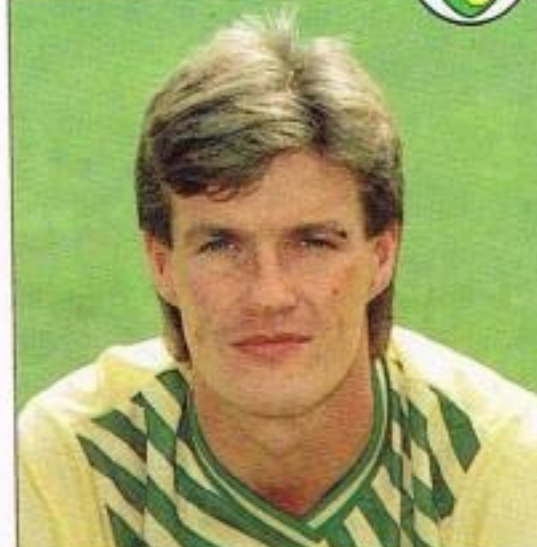
NORWICH CITY



BRYAN GUNN

Goalkeeper. Born Thurso 22.12.63. Scotland 'B' and Under-21 international who was transferred from Aberdeen in 1986. Big, with safe hands and good reflexes, his judgement and anticipation are of the highest order.

NORWICH CITY



IAN BUTTERWORTH

Defender. Born Crewe 21.1.65. Cool, calm central-defender who has been picked for England at Under-21 level. Previously with Coventry and Nottingham Forest, he is a stylish pivot who excels in tight situations.

NORWICH CITY



ANDY LINIGHAN

Defender. Born Hartlepool 18.6.62. Very tall, angular centre-half in the traditional mould. Formerly with Hartlepool and Leeds United, he has made much headway since he arrived from Oldham in 1988. Very commanding in the air.

NORWICH CITY



ROBERT FLECK

Forward. Born Glasgow 11.8.65. Scottish Under-21 international who was transferred from Glasgow Rangers for a club record £580,000 and has proved to be an excellent capture. Exciting striker who is sharp and menacing near goal.

NORWICH CITY



DALE GORDON

Forward. Born Great Yarmouth 9.1.67. One of the Canaries' home products. A former England Schools and Youth international who has also played for the Under-21s. Consistent goalscorer with a clever side-step.

NORWICH CITY



IAN CULVERHOUSE

Defender. Born Bishop's Stortford 22.9.64. Former England Youth international who joined Norwich from Spurs in 1985. A cultured right-back whose vision and precision passing only serve to compliment his excellent defensive qualities.

NORWICH CITY



MARK BOWEN

Defender. Born Neath 7.12.63. Former apprentice with Spurs who moved to Norwich for £90,000 in 1987. Welsh Schools, Youth, Under-21 and full international who inspires confidence with his determination, energy and constructive distribution.

NORWICH CITY



DAVE PHILLIPS

Defender/Midfield. Born West Germany 29.7.63. Began his career with Plymouth Argyle. Versatile player who is equally at home in midfield or at full-back. Wales Under-21 international with 21 full caps.

NORWICH CITY



ANDY TOWNSEND

Midfield. Born Maidstone 23.7.63. Tenacious, tough-tackling Republic of Ireland international with a powerful left foot. Signed from Southampton for £300,000 in 1988, he is hard-shooting and scores some spectacular long-range goals.

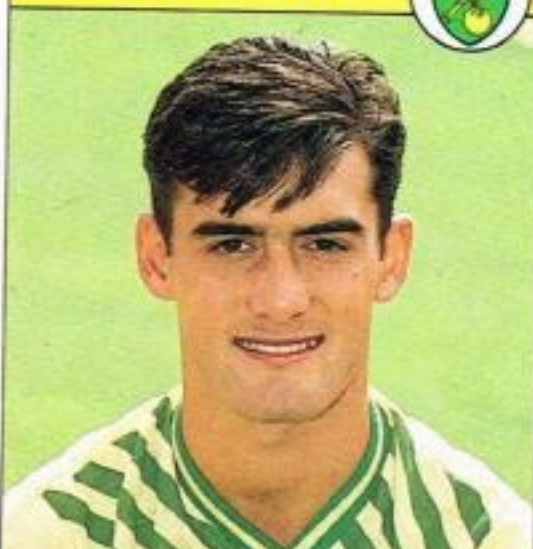
NORWICH CITY



IAN CROOK

Midfield. Born Romford 18.1.63. Played his early football with Tottenham and won an immediate place in the Norwich side after joining them in 1986. Talented play-maker who likes to direct midfield operations.

NORWICH CITY



MALCOLM ALLEN

Forward. Born Dioniolen 21.3.67. Made a remarkably quick rise after making his debut for Watford in 1985, within weeks being in the Welsh team. Not very tall but good in the air with excellent positional sense.

NORWICH CITY



ROBERT ROSARIO

Forward. Born Hammersmith 4.3.66. Very tall, with an intimidating physical presence. England Under-21 international whose fine heading ability makes him a handful for any defence. Ever-alert to capitalise on the remotest of scoring chances.



THE REDS

Address: City Ground, Nottingham NG2 5FJ.

Ground Capacity: 35,417.

Chairman: M. Roworth.

Manager: Brian Clough.

Founded: 1865.

Former Names: None.

Most League Goals: Grenville Morris, 199.

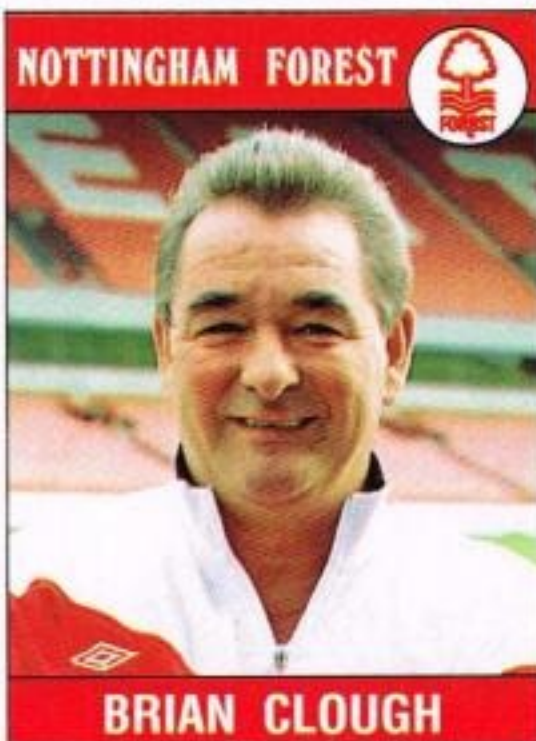
Most League Appearances: Bob McKinlay, 614, 1951-70.

League History: 1892 Elected to Division 1, 1906-07 Division 2, 1907-11 Division 1, 1911-22 Division 2, 1922-25 Division 1, 1925-49 Division 2, 1949-51 Division 3(S), 1951-57 Division 2, 1957-72 Division 1, 1972-77 Division 2, 1977- Division 1.

Honours: Division 1 Champions 1977-78, runners-up 1966-67, 1978-79. Division 2 Champions 1906-07, 1921-22, runners-up 1956-57. Division 3(S) Champions 1950-51. FA Cup winners 1898, 1959. Anglo-Scottish Cup winners 1977. League Cup winners 1978, 1979, 1989, runners-up 1980. Full Members' Cup winners 1989. European Cup winners 1979, 1980. European Super Cup winners 1980, runners-up 1981. World Club Championship runners-up 1981.

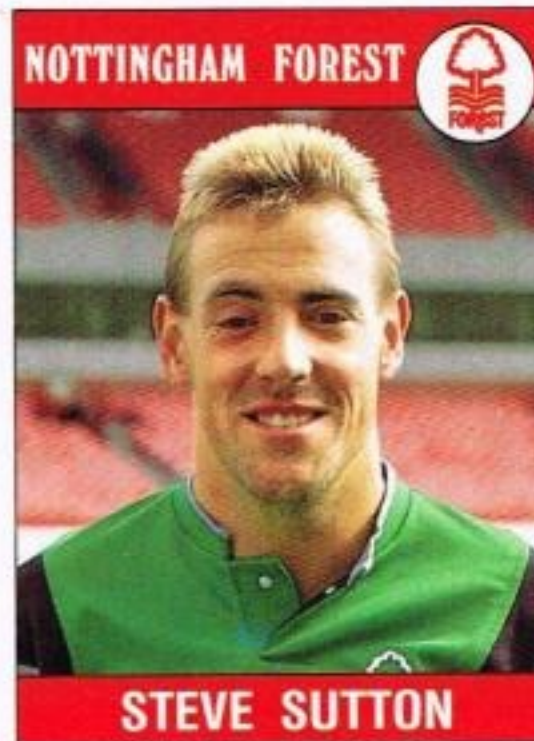


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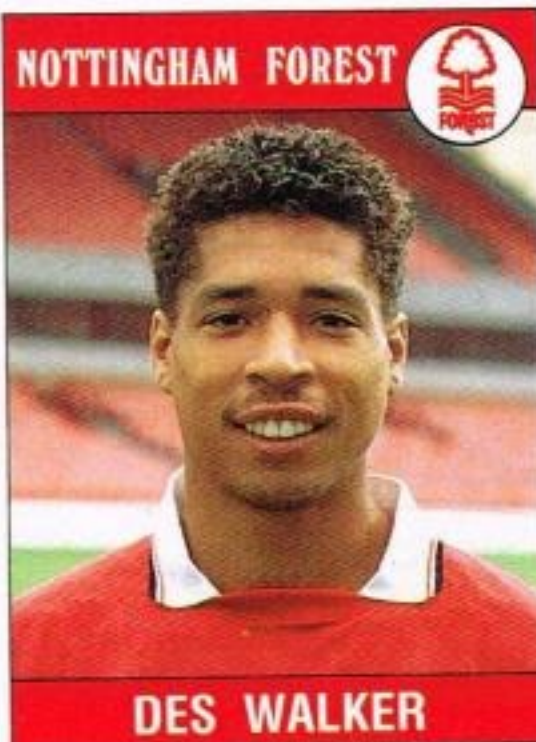
BRIAN CLOUGH

Manager. Prolific goal-scoring centre-forward with Middlesbrough and Sunderland. Joined Forest as manager in 1975 following a successful spell in charge at Derby. Charismatic personality whose brilliant record speaks eloquently of his achievements.



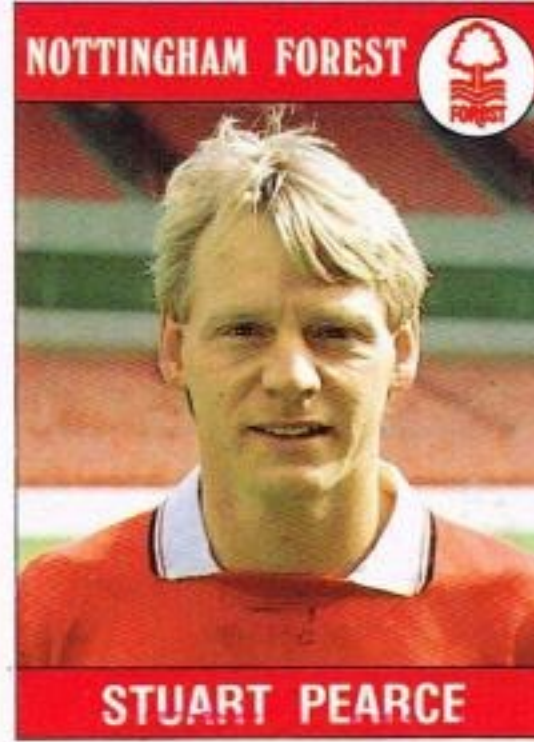
STEVE SUTTON

Goalkeeper. Born Hartington 16.4.61. One of the best uncapped keepers in the country, he studied the art of goalkeeping under the eye of Peter Shilton. Under review for a place in the England squad.



DES WALKER

Defender. Born Hackney 26.11.65. One of the Club's outstanding discoveries of recent years, he has played in the England team. Displays a high degree of speed and mobility at the heart of the defence.



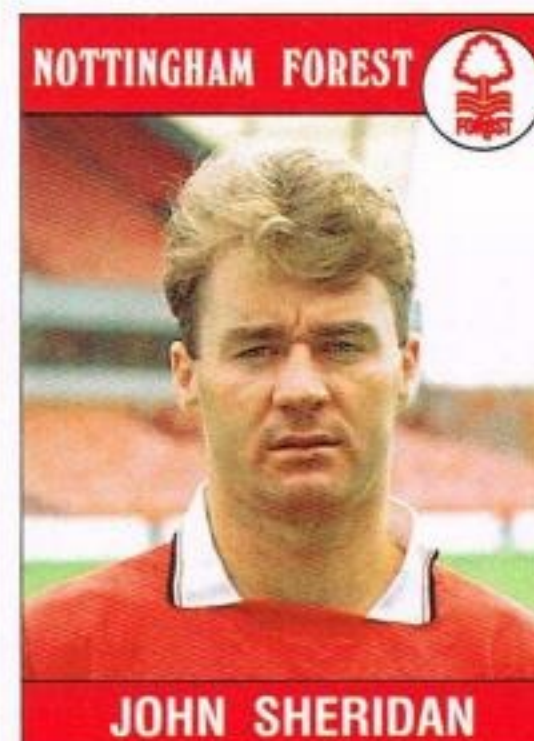
STUART PEARCE

Defender. Born London 24.4.62. Has now established himself as a regular in the England side. Supremely confident and combines brilliance with reliability and experience. Captained the club to twin triumphs last term.



TERRY WILSON

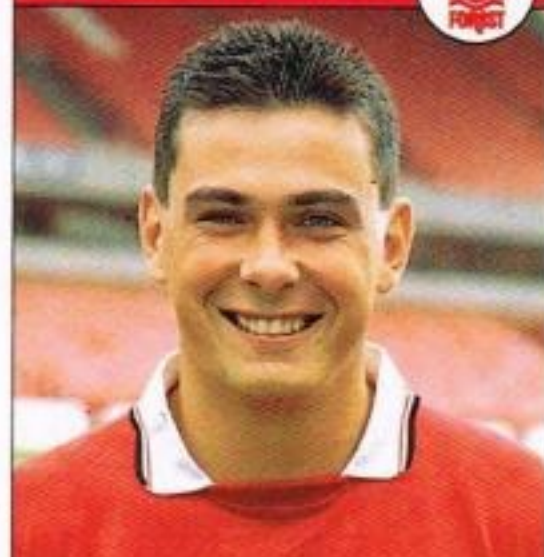
Midfield. Born Broxburn 8.2.69. Former captain of the Forest youth team who has progressed through the junior ranks at the City Ground. A fine prospect who was one of the successes of last season. Scottish Under-21 international.



JOHN SHERIDAN

Midfield. Born Manchester 1.10.64. Highly talented and positive player who was signed during the close season from Leeds for £650,000. Intelligent and a superb passer of the ball, he links well with his forwards and is a regular scorer.

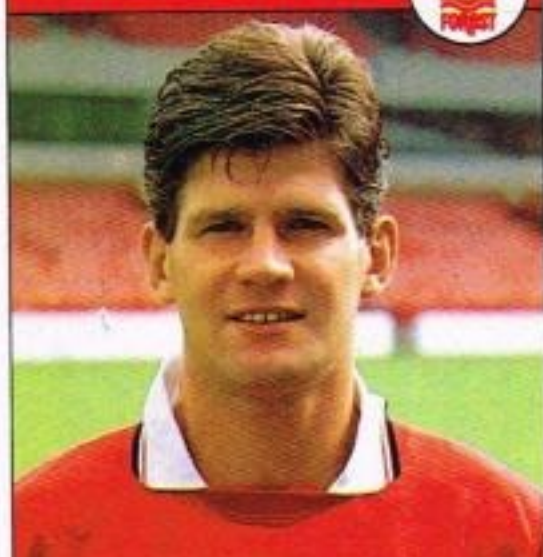
NOTTINGHAM FOREST



STEVE CHETTLE

Defender. Born Nottingham 27.9.68. Another of Forest's emerging youngsters who has earned international recognition at England Under-21 level. His versatility at the back and increasing maturity were a major factor in last season's cup successes.

NOTTINGHAM FOREST



BRIAN LAWS

Defender. Born Wallsend 14.10.61. Attacking right-back who has turned out to be one of the club's best investments since his transfer from Middlesbrough in 1988. Enthusiastic with a very positive approach.

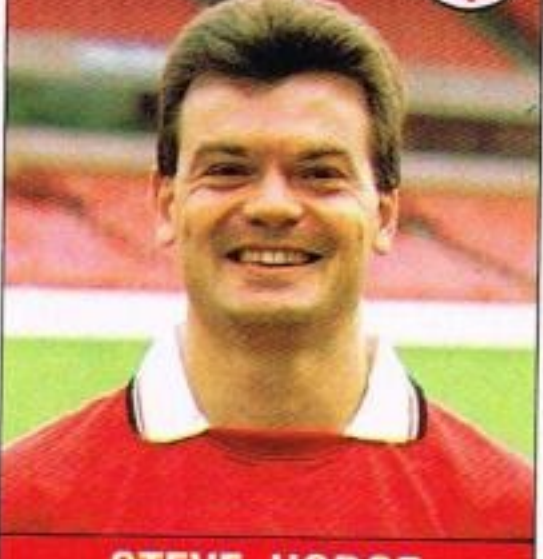
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GARRY PARKER

Midfield. Born Oxford 7.9.65. Composed and highly effective midfield general who signed from Hull City in 1988 after having had previous top-flight experience with Luton. Good control and an excellent passer of the ball.

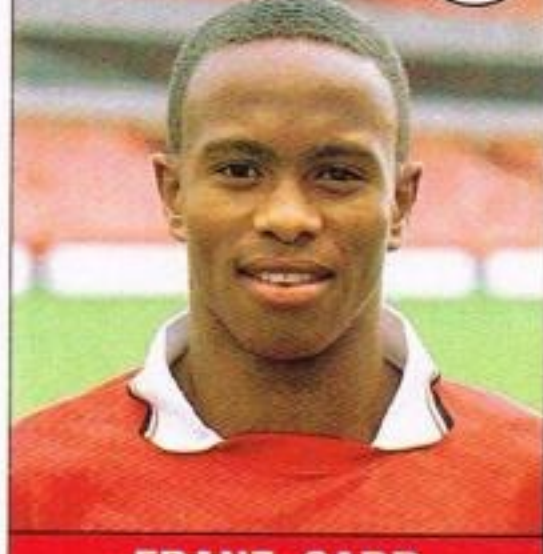
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STEVE HODGE

Midfield. Born Nottingham 25.10.62. A terrier-like player with a wealth of experience. Clever, energetic and direct, his performances last season earned him a recall to the England squad.

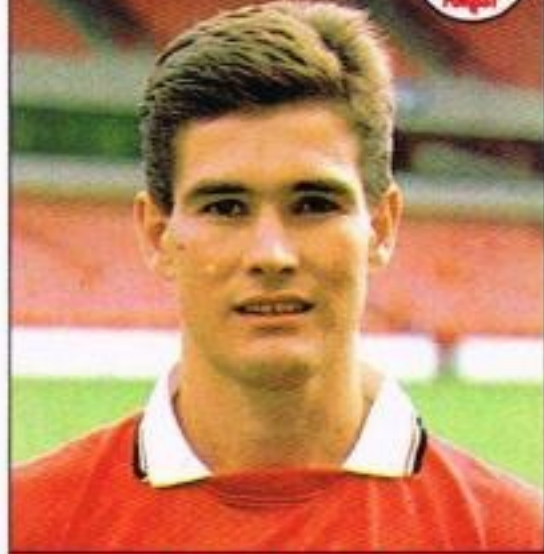
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FRANZ CARR

Forward. Born Preston 24.9.66. One of the most exciting wingers in the game today whose skill, pace and marvellous ball-control give him the ability to beat the best of defenders.

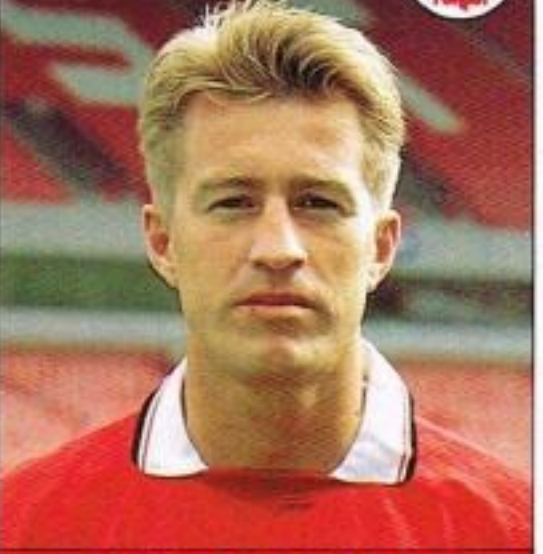
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NIGEL CLOUGH

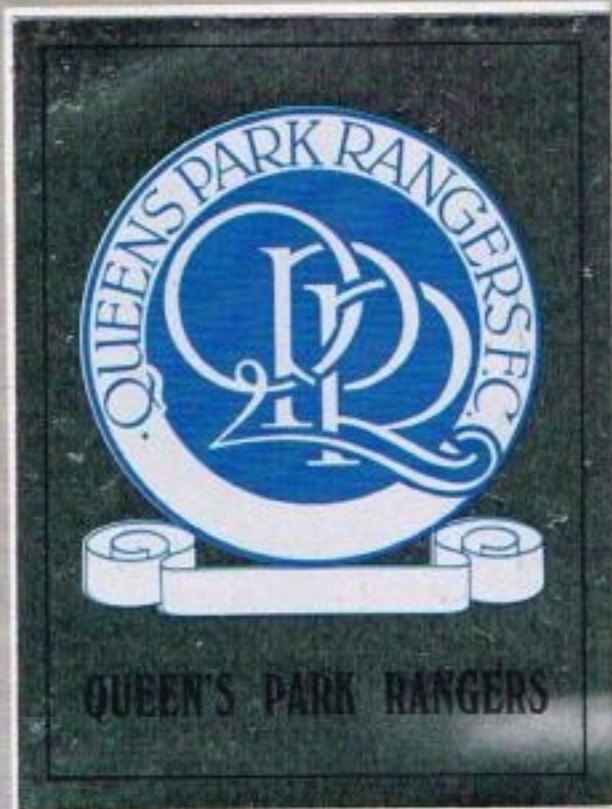
Forward. Born Sunderland 19.3.66. One of the finest young players in the game. Confident, with good control, he has been the club's top scorer for the past four seasons. Capped by England.

NOTTINGHAM FOREST



LEE CHAPMAN

Forward. Born Lincoln 5.12.59. Much travelled England Under-21 player who has been top scorer with most of his clubs. Dangerous attacker, good in the air with a powerful shot.



RANGERS

Address: South Africa Road, London W12 7PA.

Ground Capacity: 27,500.

Chairman: R. C. Thompson.

Manager: Trevor Francis.

Founded: 1885.

Former Names: St. Jude's 1885-87.

Most League Goals: George Goddard, 172, 1926-34.

Most League Appearances: Tony Ingham, 519, 1950-63.

League History: 1920 Founder Members of Division 3, 1921 Division 3(S), 1948-52 Division 2, 1952-58 Division 3(S), 1958-67 Division 3, 1967-68 Division 2, 1968-69 Division 1, 1969-73 Division 2, 1973-79 Division 1, 1979-83 Division 2, 1983- Division 1.

Honours: Division 1 runners-up 1975-76, Division 2 Champions 1982-83, runners-up 1967-68, 1972-73. Division 3 Champions 1966-67. Division 3(S) Champions 1947-48, runners-up 1946-47. FA Cup runners-up 1982. League Cup winners 1967, runners-up 1986.



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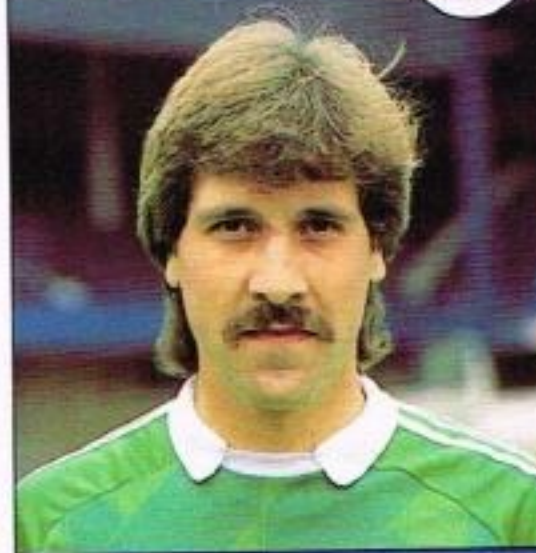
QUEEN'S PARK RANGERS



TREVOR FRANCIS

Player/Manager. England international with 52 caps who was twice involved in £1 million transfer deals. Played for Birmingham, Nottingham Forest, Manchester City, Sampdoria and Atalanta of Italy and Rangers of Scotland. Appointed manager in 1988.

QUEEN'S PARK RANGERS



DAVID SEAMAN

Goalkeeper. Born Rotherham 19.9.63. Team captain who is good in the air. England Under-21 and full international who is very commanding in the box, he was transferred from Birmingham in 1986 for £250,000.

QUEEN'S PARK RANGERS



PAUL PARKER

Defender. Born Essex 4.4.64. Remarkably small for a central defender but makes up for it in ability and timing. Capped at England Under-21 and 'B' level, he played for Fulham before signing for Rangers in 1987.

QUEEN'S PARK RANGERS



KENNY SANSOM

Defender. Born Camberwell 26.9.58. Sound in his tackling and positional play with an acute eye for attacking opportunities. His consistency and fitness have brought him close to a century of England caps.

QUEEN'S PARK RANGERS



ANDY SINTON

Midfield. Born Newcastle 19.3.66. Played over 200 League matches in the lower divisions with Cambridge and Brentford before signing for Rangers. Very fast and a good distributor who likes to get into scoring positions.

QUEEN'S PARK RANGERS



MARK STEIN

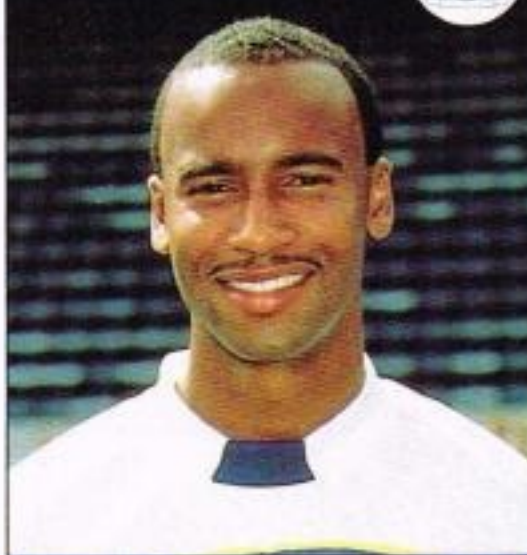
Forward. Born South Africa 28.1.66. Followed his brother Brian into the Luton side in 1984 and was transferred to Rangers in 1988. A small striker with first-class ball control.

QUEEN'S PARK RANGERS

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QUEEN'S PARK RANGERS



DANNY MADDIX

Defender. Born Ashford 11.10.67. Former member of the Spurs youth and reserve teams who signed on a free transfer in 1987. An excellent prospect who is very tenacious, tackles well and has good heading ability.

QUEEN'S PARK RANGERS



ALAN McDONALD

Defender. Born Belfast 12.10.63. Northern Ireland international with more than 20 caps to his name who developed through the apprentice ranks, making his debut in 1980. A steadying influence who is dominant in the air.

QUEEN'S PARK RANGERS



PETER REID

Midfield. Born Huyton 20.6.56. A great club man and an inspiring captain, he is a born competitor who is highly skilled, determined and brave. Had successful spells with Bolton Wanderers and Everton.

QUEEN'S PARK RANGERS



NIGEL SPACKMAN

Midfield. Born Romsey 2.12.60. Played with Bournemouth and Chelsea before claiming a regular place in the Liverpool team during season 1987-88. A composed player who controls midfield, he was signed for a club record £550,000.

QUEEN'S PARK RANGERS



MARTIN ALLEN

Midfield. Born Reading 14.8.65. England Youth and Under-21 cap who is the cousin of Manchester City's Clive and Tottenham's Paul. Very tenacious and an excellent distributor of the ball, he possesses an eye for goal and a good shot.

QUEEN'S PARK RANGERS



MARK FALCO

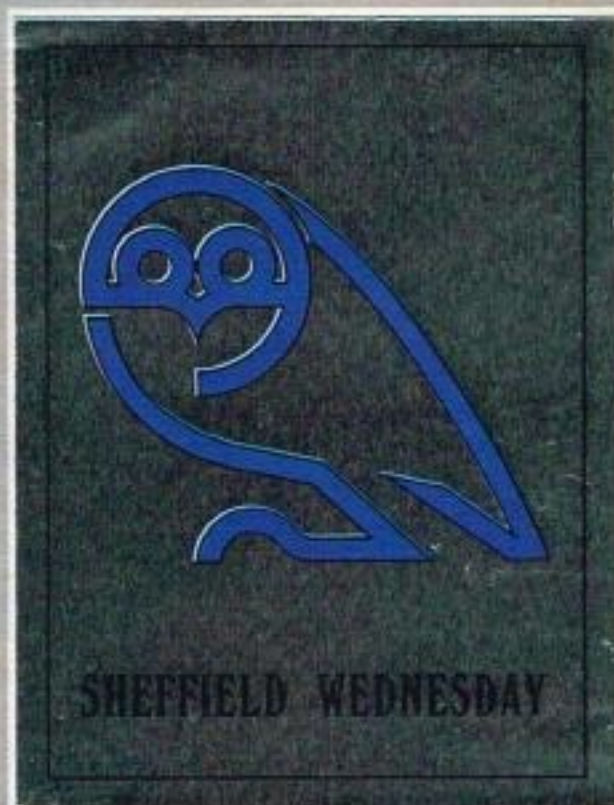
Forward. Born Hackney 22.10.60. Club's leading marksman who signed from Glasgow Rangers in 1987 after spending only a few weeks in Scotland, he is a big centre-forward who shoots on sight.

QUEEN'S PARK RANGERS



COLIN CLARKE

Forward. Born Newry 30.10.62. Fast running and prolific striker who was signed from Southampton for £850,000 last season. A Northern Ireland international on 19 occasions, he now has over 100 League goals to his credit.



THE OWLS

Address: Hillsborough, Sheffield S6 1SW.

Ground Capacity: 54,181.

Chairman: H. G. McGee.

Manager: Ron Atkinson.

Founded: 1867.

Former Names: The Wednesday.

Most League Goals: Andy Wilson, 200.

Most League Appearances: Andy Wilson, 502, 1900-20.

League History: 1892 Elected to Division 1, 1899-1900 Division 2, 1900-20 Division 1, 1920-26 Division 2, 1926-37 Division 1, 1937-50 Division 2, 1950-51 Division 1, 1951-52 Division 2, 1952-55 Division 1, 1955-56 Division 2, 1956-58 Division 1, 1958-59 Division 2, 1959-70 Division 1, 1970-75 Division 2, 1975-80 Division 3, 1980-84 Division 2, 1984-Division 1.

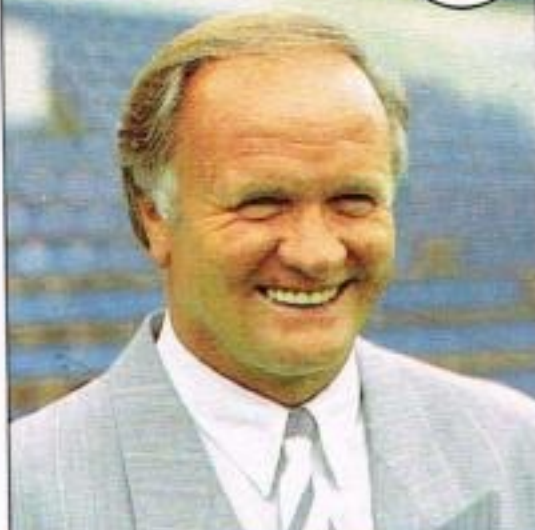
Honours: Division 1 Champions 1902-03, 1903-04, 1928-29, 1929-30, runners-up 1960-61. Division 2 Champions 1899-1900, 1925-26, 1951-52, 1955-56, 1958-59, runners-up 1949-50, 1983-84. Division 3 runners-up 1979-80. FA Cup winners 1896, 1907, 1935, runners-up 1966.



SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY



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RON ATKINSON

Manager. Played for Aston Villa and captained Oxford when they joined the League in 1962. One of the outstanding personalities in football management, he was previously with West Brom, Manchester United and Atletico Madrid.

SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY



LAWRIE MADDEN

Defender. Born London 28.9.55. Team captain who previously wore the colours of Arsenal, Mansfield, Spurs, Charlton and Millwall. Very quick and strong, he has been an important member of the squad for the past five seasons.

SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY



CRAIG SHAKESPEARE

Midfield. Born Birmingham 26.10.63. Left-sided midfield player who joined the Owls from Walsall where he scored nearly 50 goals in well over 200 League appearances. A dead-ball specialist whose distribution is first-class.

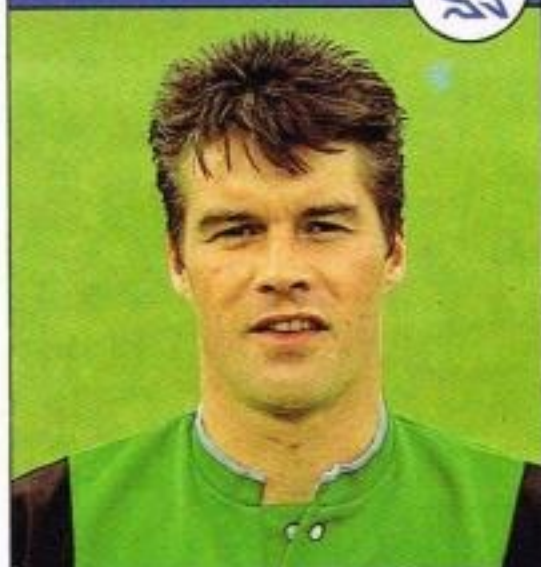
SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY



DAVID HIRST

Forward. Born Barnsley 7.12.67. Exciting young former England Youth international who has also impressed with the Under-21 side. Very fast and direct, with a good shot, he was signed from Barnsley for £250,000.

SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY



CHRIS TURNER

Goalkeeper. Born Sheffield 15.9.58. Agile, reliable and very experienced keeper who originally joined the club way back in 1973. Was transferred to Sunderland and then Manchester United before returning to Hillsborough in 1988 for £200,000.

SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY



DARREN WOOD

Defender. Born Scarborough 9.6.64. Highly versatile player who played for Middlesbrough and Chelsea before joining Wednesday in 1989. Excellent passer of the ball with the ability to time his tackles to perfection.

SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY



PETER SHIRLIFF

Defender. Born Barnsley 6.4.61. Came to Hillsborough from Charlton Athletic during the close season for £500,000. An extremely influential player at the heart of defence, he is very consistent, firm in the tackle and heads the ball well.

SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY



NIGEL PEARSON

Defender. Born Nottingham 21.8.63. A player to rely on in all situations, he was signed from Shrewsbury for £250,000 in 1987 and has now settled well into the middle of the back four.

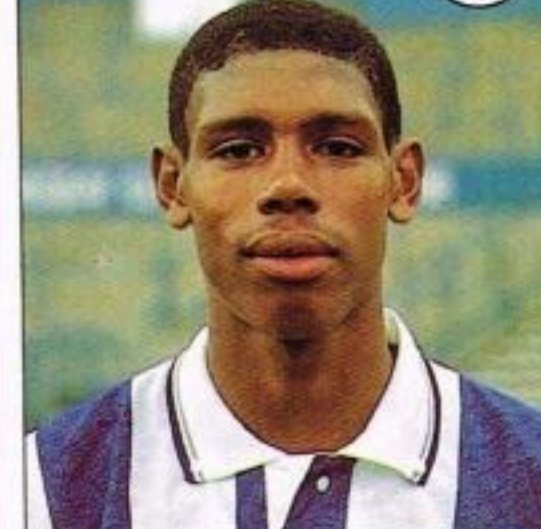
SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY



NIGEL WORTHINGTON

Defender. Born Ballymena 4.11.61. Very competitive full-back who was signed from Notts County. Consistent and reliable, he is a former Northern Ireland Youth international who now has over 20 full caps to his credit.

SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY



CARLTON PALMER

Midfield. Born West Bromwich 5.12.65. A signing from West Bromwich Albion towards the latter end of last season. Strong running, highly committed and a glutton for work, he is also admired for his great natural ability.

SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY



DAVE BENNETT

Forward. Born Manchester 11.7.59. Has played in FA Cup finals for Manchester City in 1981 and Coventry for whom he scored in 1987. Very tricky and elusive winger in the traditional mould.

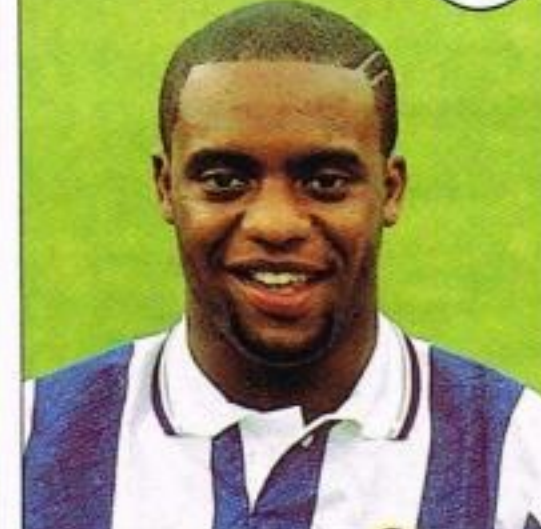
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STEVE WHITTON

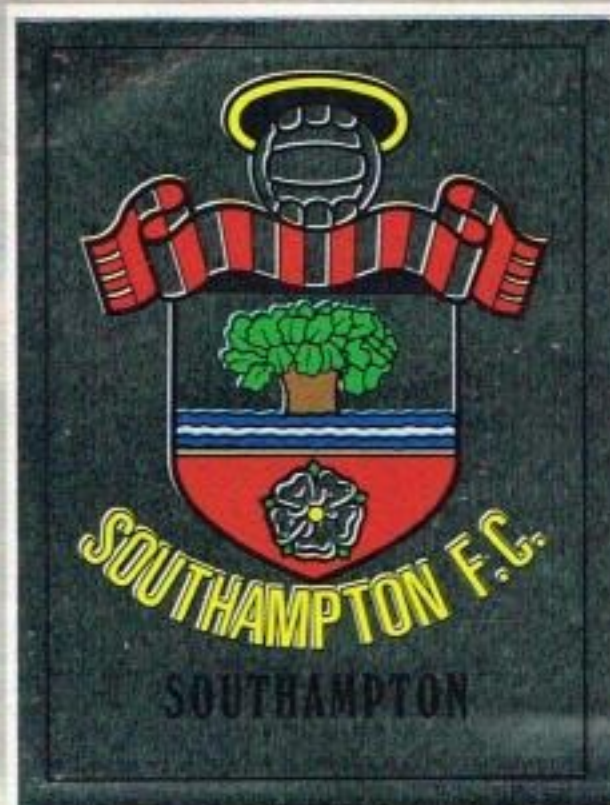
Forward. Born East Ham 4.12.60. Very skilful and experienced striker who played with Coventry, West Ham and Birmingham before joining Wednesday in 1989. Holds the ball well and is a good finisher.

SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY



DALIAN ATKINSON

Forward. Born Shrewsbury 21.3.68. England Under-21 international who was signed from Ipswich Town. Very fast and able to shoot from all angles, he is a great prospect from whom much is expected in the future.



THE SAINTS

Address: The Dell, Milton Road, Southampton SO9 4XX.

Ground Capacity: 25,175.

Chairman: F. G. L. Askham FCA.

Manager: Chris Nicholl.

Founded: 1885.

Former Names: Southampton St Mary's prior to 1885 (hence the nickname).

Most League Goals: Mick Channon, 182.

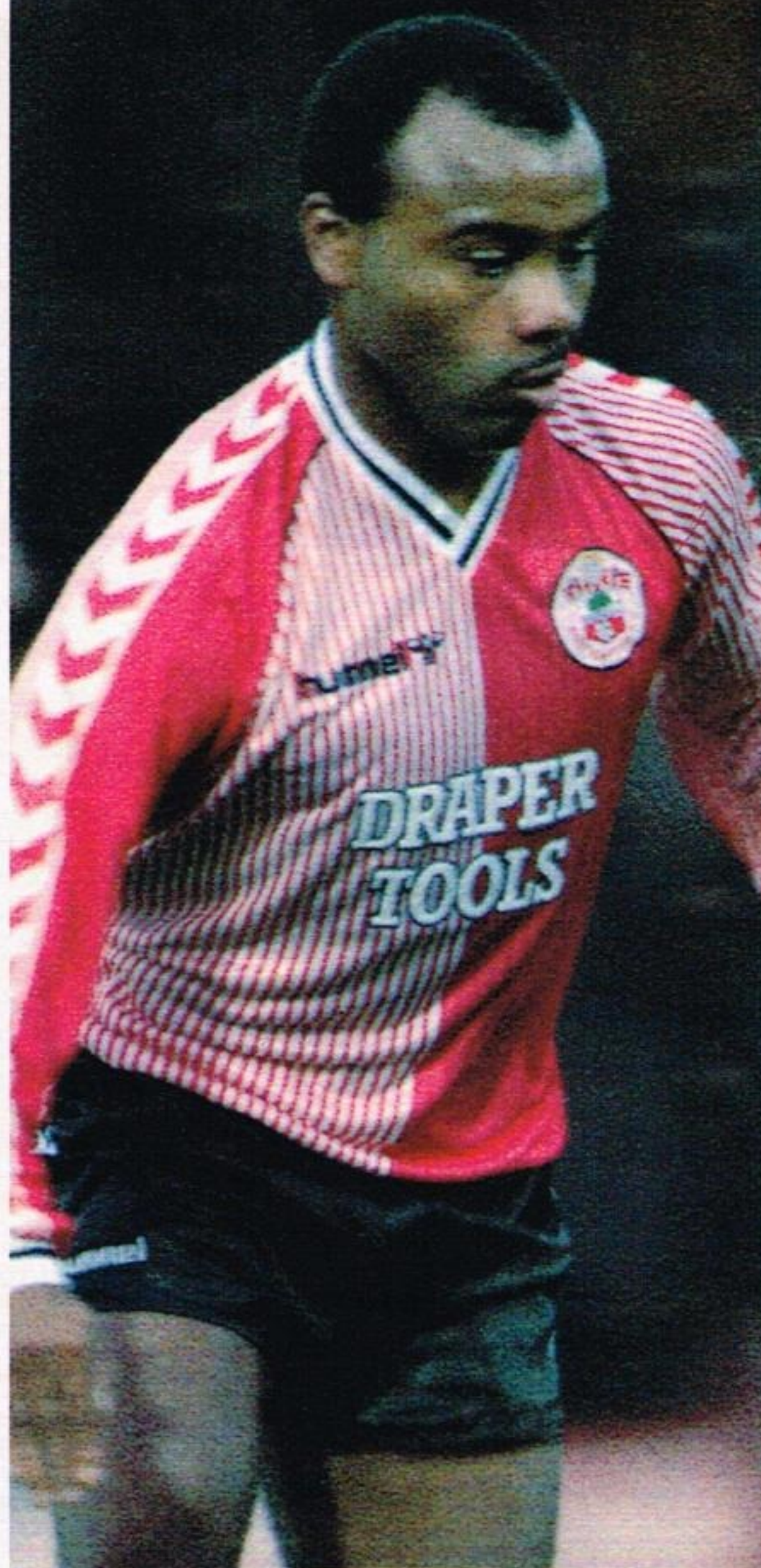
Most League Appearances: Terry Paine, 713, 1956-74.

League History: 1920 Founder Members of Division 3, 1921 Division 3(S), 1922-53 Division 2, 1953-58 Division 3(S), 1958-60 Division 3, 1960-66 Division 2, 1966-74 Division 1, 1974-78 Division 2, 1978- Division 1.

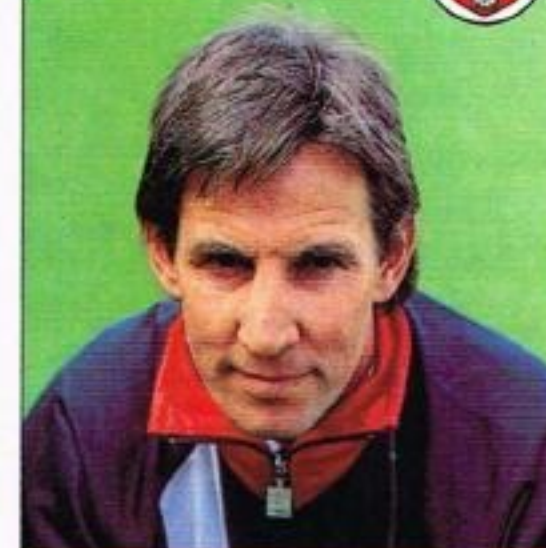
Honours: Division 1 runners-up 1983-84. Division 2 runners-up 1965-66, 1977-78. Division 3 Champions 1959-60, runners-up 1920-21. Division 3(S) Champions 1921-22. FA Cup winners 1976, runners-up 1900, 1902. League Cup runners-up 1979.



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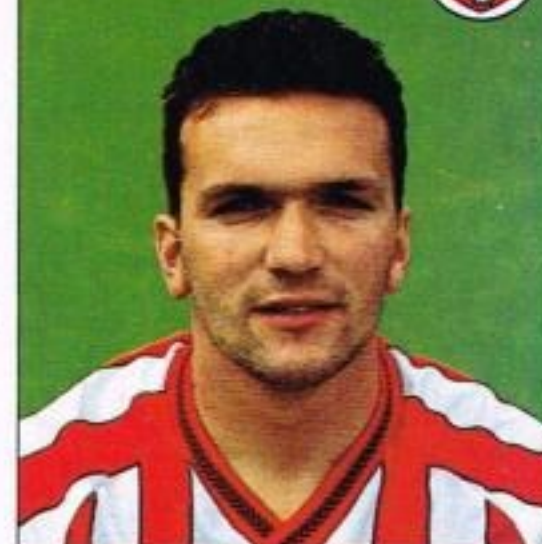
SOUTHAMPTON



CHRIS NICHOLL

Manager. Former Northern Ireland international who spent six years as a defender with the club before leaving for Grimsby as assistant manager. Returned to familiar ground at the Dell in 1985.

SOUTHAMPTON



NEIL RUDDOCK

Defender. Born London 9.5.68. Came to the Dell from Millwall for £300,000. A towering player who is very agile and mobile for his size, he has recently taken over the role of penalty taker.

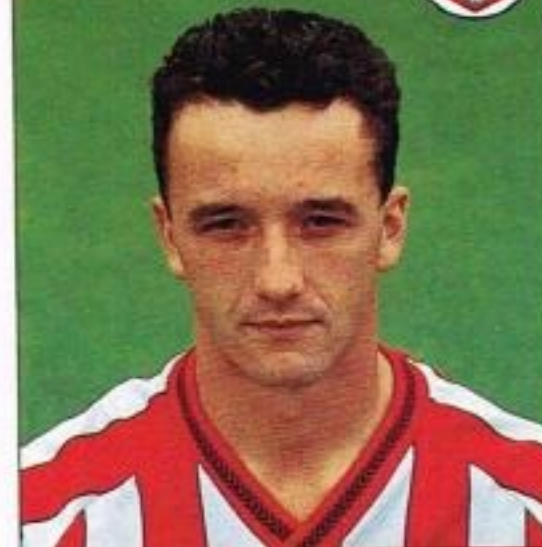
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RODNEY WALLACE

Midfield. Born Lewisham 2.10.69. Younger brother of Danny and twin brother of Ray, he has served his apprenticeship at the Dell. Unorthodox yet industrious, he possesses great natural talent, as well as speed.

SOUTHAMPTON



BARRY HORNE

Midfield. Born St. Asaph 18.5.62. Full Welsh international who played with Millwall before becoming the club's record signing for £700,000 from Portsmouth. A busy player who is hard-tackling and always involved in the action.

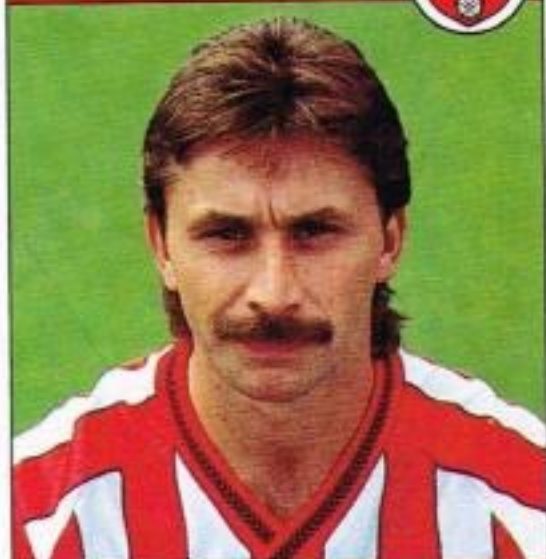
SOUTHAMPTON



JOHN BURRIDGE

Goalkeeper. Born Workington 3.12.51. Much-travelled and experienced player. Nicknamed 'Budgie' and famed for his gymnastic warm-ups, he is enjoying a new lease of life since his recall to First Division football.

SOUTHAMPTON



GERRY FORREST

Defender. Born Stockton 21.1.57. Confident and reliable right-back with a good turn of speed. Joined the Saints from Rotherham in 1985 for £90,000. He's a qualified joiner, DIY expert and keen snooker player.

SOUTHAMPTON



RUSSELL OSMAN

Defender. Born Repton 14.2.59. Former England centre-back who gained 11 caps following appearances in the Under-21 side. Strong, determined and superb with his head, he was transferred from Leicester after 10 seasons at Ipswich.

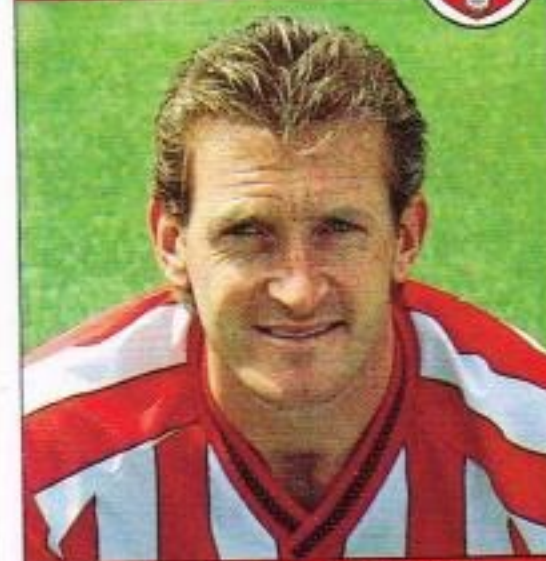
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MICKY ADAMS

Defender. Born Sheffield 8.11.61. A nippy and versatile player who can perform equally well on the left side of defence or midfield. Busy, bustling and hard to shake off the ball.

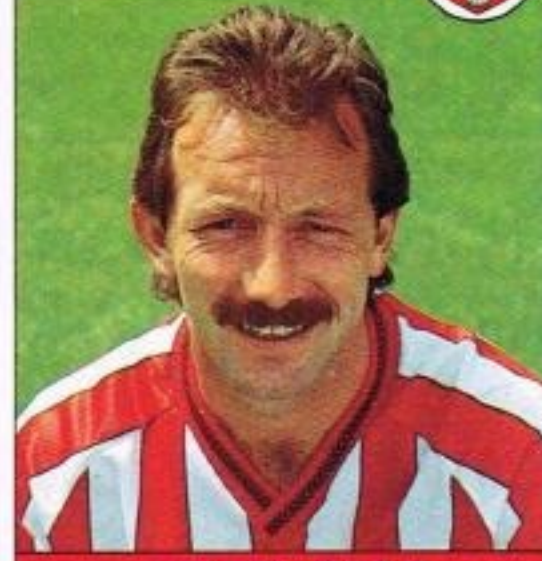
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GLENN COCKERILL

Midfield. Born Grimsby 25.8.59. Talented and industrious with a very high work-rate, he was signed from Sheffield United in 1985. A skilful player with good close control and a flair for spectacular long-range goals.

SOUTHAMPTON



JIMMY CASE

Midfield. Born Liverpool 18.5.54. Seasoned campaigner who is famed for his powerful shooting and competitive spirit. Capped at England Under-23 level, he won honours galore with his home club, Liverpool. Came from Brighton in 1985.

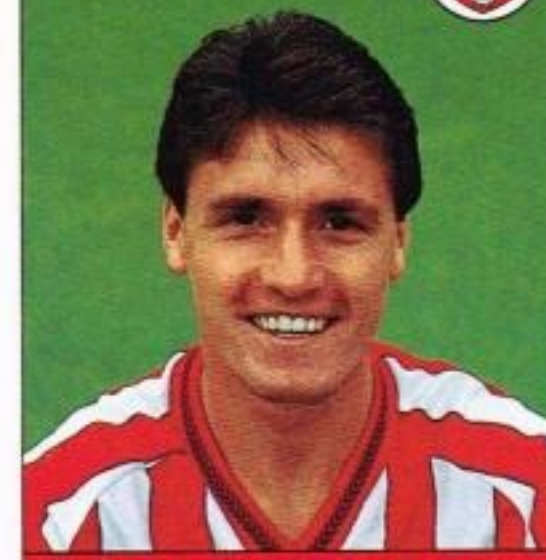
SOUTHAMPTON



MATTHEW LE TISSIER

Forward. Born Guernsey 14.10.68. Very skilful young forward whose brilliant form and goalscoring exploits have hit the headlines since his debut in season 1986-87. England Youth player and an exciting prospect with natural talent.

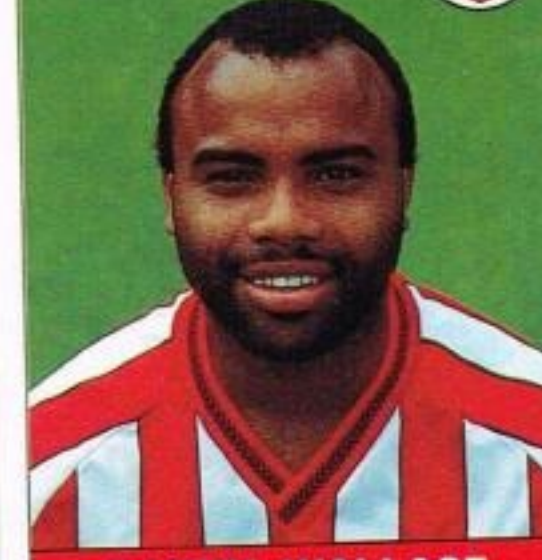
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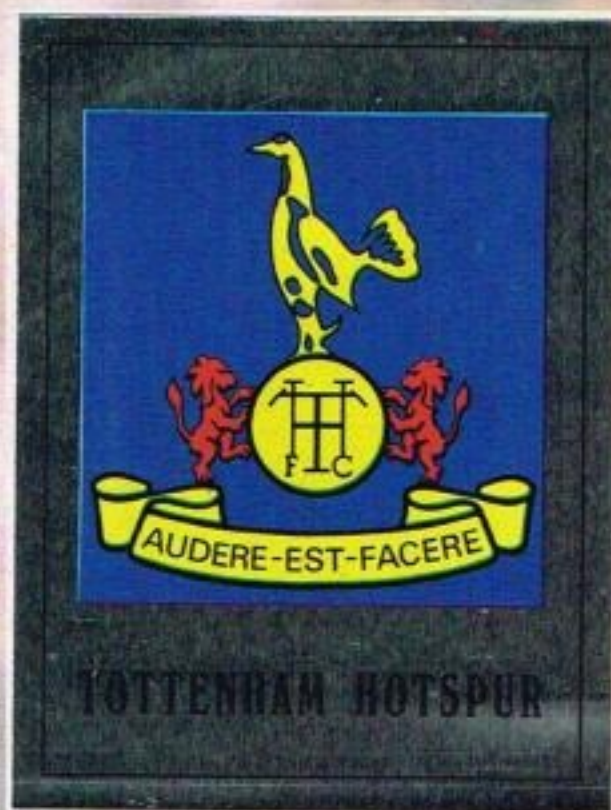
Forward. Born Bournemouth 14.8.64. England Under-21 cap who ended a 3-year exile in Italy with Bari to join the Saints in 1988. A fine striker of the ball with a good goalscoring record throughout his career.

SOUTHAMPTON



DANNY WALLACE

Forward. Born London 21.1.64. Gained full international recognition following 12 appearances for the England Under-21 side. Extremely fast and the scorer of spectacular goals, he can look back on over 200 League games for Southampton.



SPURS

Address: 748 High Road, London N17 0AP.

Ground Capacity: 48,200.

Chairman: I. A. Scholar.

Manager: Terry Venables.

Founded: 1882.

Former Names: None.

Most League Goals: Jimmy Greaves, 220.

Most League Appearances: Steve Perryman, 655, 1969-86.

League History: 1908 Elected to Division 2, 1909-15 Division 1, 1919-20 Division 2, 1920-28 Division 1, 1928-33 Division 2, 1933-35 Division 1, 1935-50 Division 2, 1950-77 Division 1, 1977-78 Division 2, 1978- Division 1.

Honours: Division 1 Champions 1950-51, 1960-61, runners-up 1921-22, 1951-52, 1956-57, 1962-63. Division 2 Champions 1919-20, 1949-50, runners-up 1908-09, 1932-33. FA Cup winners 1901 (as a Southern League club), 1921, 1961, 1962, 1967, 1981, 1982 (7 wins = a record held jointly with Aston Villa), runners-up 1987. League Cup winners 1971, 1973, runners-up 1982. European Cup-Winners' Cup winners 1963, runners-up 1982. UEFA Cup winners 1972, 1984, runners-up 1974.



TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR

Manager. Holds the distinction of being capped at every level for England, having played for the Schools, Youth, Amateur, Under-23, Football League and full international sides. Came to White Hart Lane from Barcelona in 1987.



TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR

Defender. Born Co. Durham 17.11.59. England international with over 20 full caps to his name, he has also played for the Under-21s. Good team player and reader of the game who controls the defence well.



TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR

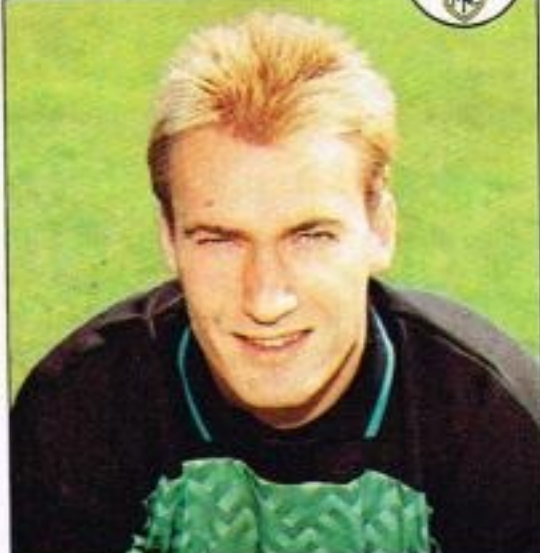
Midfield. Born Aveley 28.8.62. Attacking midfielder who became the youngest player to appear in an FA Cup Final in 1980 and also passed Bobby Moore's record of 18 England Youth international caps in 1981.



TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR

Midfield. Born Enfield 26.5.68. Former England Youth international who was snapped up first by Coventry. Fine player who can operate in a variety of positions, he was signed during the close season for £750,000.

TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR



ERIK THORSTVEDT

Goalkeeper. Born Norway 28.10.62. Norwegian international who joined Spurs from Swedish club Gothenburg in 1989. Very tall with good reflexes, he is highly effective in dealing with crosses and displays an assuring all-round competence.

TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR



MITCHELL THOMAS

Defender. Born Luton 2.10.64. Full England cap who has also played for the Under-21 and 'B' teams. Highly talented defender who is very dangerous going forward, is extremely good in the air and tackles strongly.

TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR



BRIAN STATHAM

Defender. Born Zimbabwe 21.5.69. Excellent young all-round defender who possesses good technique in the air and superb tackling ability. Signed for Spurs as an apprentice and is in the England Under-21 side.

TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR



GUY BUTTERS

Defender. Born Hillingdon 30.10.69. Imposing young centre-half who has represented the England Under-21 team. Very composed, impressive in the air and possessing a good left foot, he can look forward to a great future.

TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR



GARY MABBUTT

Midfield. Born Bristol 23.8.61. Experienced club captain and England international who has played for both club and country in a variety of roles. Great competitor who is tremendous in the air. Gary is a diabetic.

TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR



PAUL GASCOIGNE

Midfield. Born Gateshead 27.5.67. Transferred from Newcastle United in 1988 his talent is exceptional. Individual and inspirational, he is strong, possesses good ball control and scores regularly. Made his debut for England last season.

TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR



PAUL STEWART

Forward. Born Manchester 7.10.64. The subject of a £1.7 million transfer from Manchester City in the summer of 1988, this England Under-21 striker's strength and aggression make him exceptionally effective in the air.

TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR



GARY LINEKER

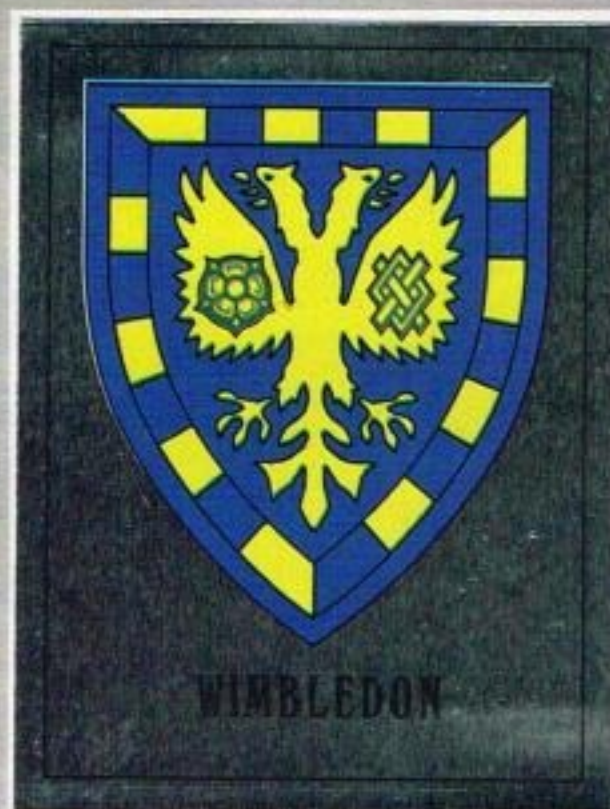
Forward. Born Leicester 30.11.60. England's finest goalscorer of modern times, he is a deadly finisher with both feet. He came to White Hart Lane from Barcelona for a fee of £1.5 million. Over 30 England caps.

TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR



PAUL WALSH

Forward. Born Plumstead 1.10.62. Signed from Liverpool for £500,000 in 1988, he has collected England Schools, Youth and Under-21 honours in addition to 5 full caps. Possesses close control, and is good in tight situations.



THE DONS

Address: Plough Lane Ground, Durnsford Road, Wimbledon, London SW19 8HG.

Ground Capacity: 16,000.

Chairman: S. G. Reed.

Manager: Bobby Gould.

Founded: 1889.

Former Names: Wimbledon Old Centrals 1899-1905.

Most League Goals: Alan Cork, 1977-88.

Most League Appearances: Alan Cork, 330, 1978-88.

League History: 1977 Elected to Division 4, 1977-79 Division 4, 1979-80 Division 3, 1980-81 Division 4, 1981-82 Division 3, 1982-83 Division 4, 1983-84 Division 3, 1984-86 Division 2, 1986- Division 1.

Honours: Division 3 runners-up 1983-84. Division 4 Champions 1982-83. FA Cup winners 1988. Associate Members' Cup runners-up 1982.



WIMBLEDON



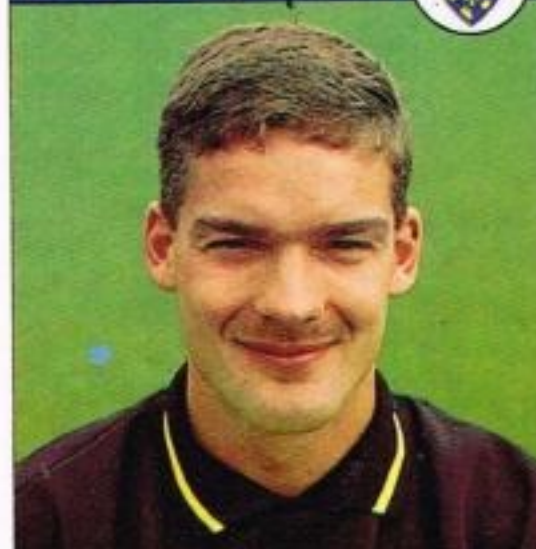
WIMBLEDON



BOBBY GOULD

Manager. Appointed in 1987 and enjoyed the distinction of a Wembley Cup Final triumph in his first season. His record as player, coach and manager with a variety of clubs underlines his enthusiasm for the game.

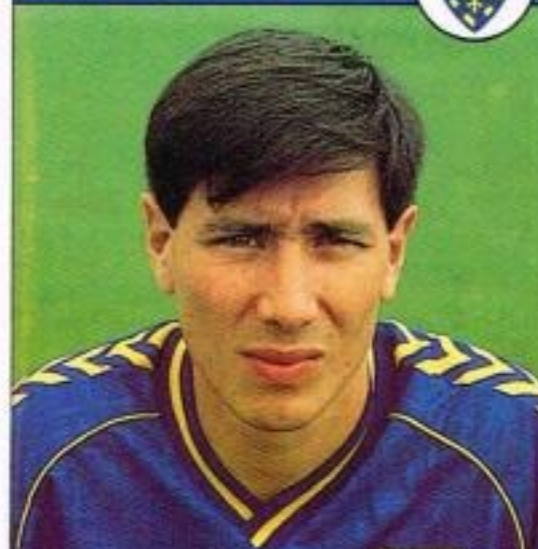
WIMBLEDON



HANS SEGERS

Goalkeeper. Born Netherlands 30.10.61. Renowned for his long kicks which are thought to suit the 'Dons' style. Signed from Nottingham Forest in 1988 after previously playing with PSV Eindhoven in the Dutch League.

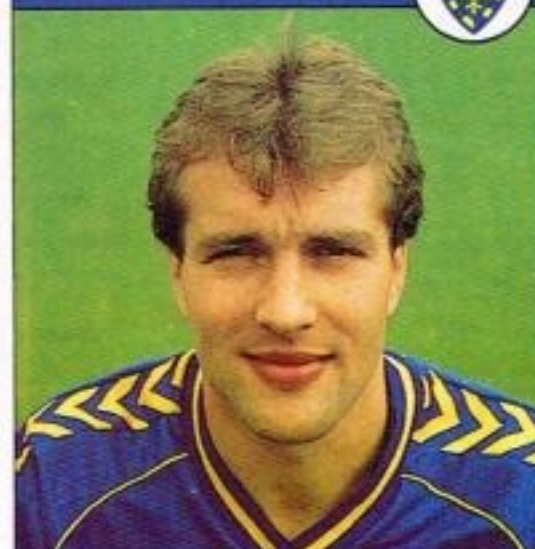
WIMBLEDON



LAWRIE SANCHEZ

Midfield. Born Lambeth 22.10.59. Northern Ireland international with a Mexican name who netted the goal which clinched the Dons' promotion to Division One. Also scored the goal that won them the FA Cup in 1988.

WIMBLEDON



DETZI KRUSZYNSKI

Midfield. Born Germany 14.10.61. West German international who was signed from Hamburg in 1988. Tall with particularly good distribution, he started his career with Gdansk in Poland before moving to Germany.

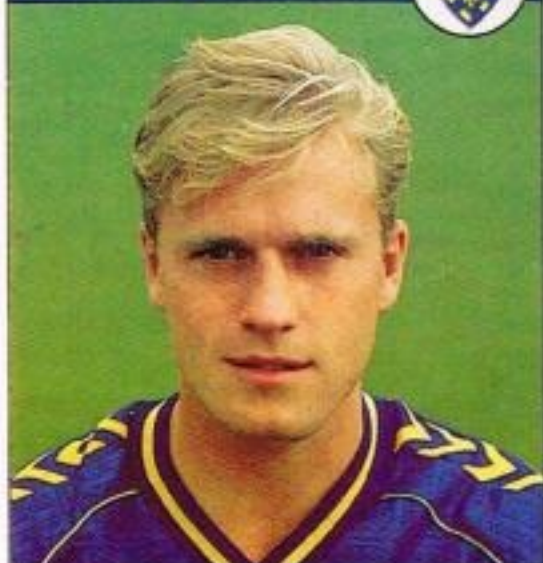
WIMBLEDON



TERRY PHELAN

Defender. Born Manchester 16.3.67. Former Republic of Ireland Youth and Under-21 international who came from Swansea for £90,000 after a previous spell with Leeds United. Very fast left-back who likes to support his forwards.

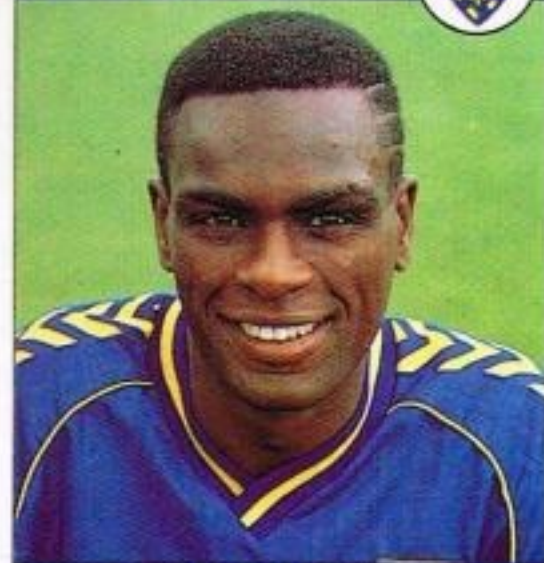
WIMBLEDON



JOHN SCALES

Defender. Born Harrogate 4.7.66. Left Bristol Rovers for £75,000 in 1987 after playing under Bobby Gould's management for the West Country club. Former full-back who is now outstanding at the centre of defence.

WIMBLEDON



ERIC YOUNG

Defender. Born Singapore 25.3.60. Ideally built for his position, he is commanding in the air and solid on the ground. Reliable and consistent defender who was brought to Wimbledon from Brighton in 1987.

WIMBLEDON



ROGER JOSEPH

Defender. Born Paddington 24.12.65. Former Brentford player who was signed in 1988 for £140,000 and has adapted well to First Division demands. Attacking right-back who shines when coming forward and tackles well.

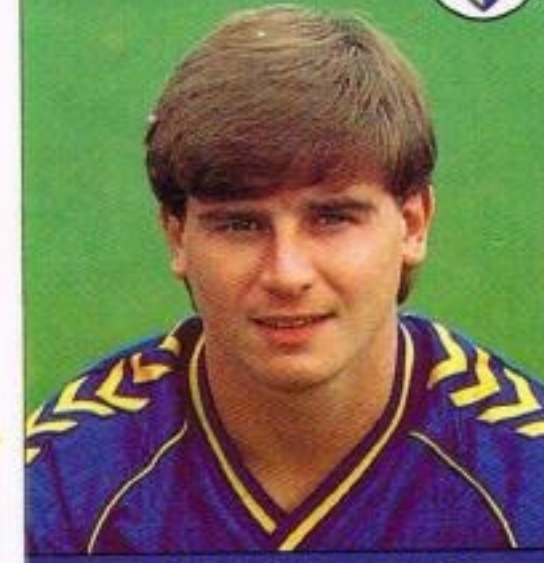
WIMBLEDON



KEITH CURLE

Defender. Born Bristol 14.11.63. Joined the Dons from Reading for £500,000 as a central defender and has converted successfully to full-back. A good tackler who is very fast and seen at his best when attacking.

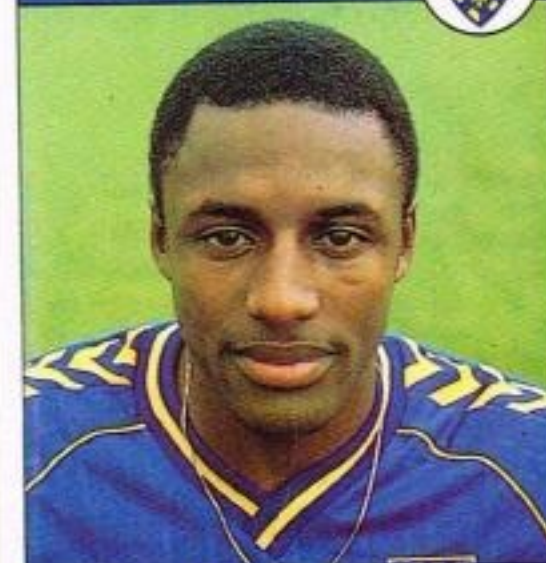
WIMBLEDON



VAUGHAN RYAN

Midfield. Born Westminster 2.9.68. Very impressive youngster who skippered the Dons' youth team. He was also captain of the England Schools Under-15s, and is a versatile utility player who times his tackles to perfection.

WIMBLEDON



JOHN FASHANU

Forward. Born Kensington 18.9.62. Dons' record buy in 1986 when he came from Millwall for £120,000 after previous spells with Crystal Palace, Norwich and Lincoln. Has been top scorer for the past two seasons.

WIMBLEDON



DENNIS WISE

Forward. Born Kensington 15.12.66. Developed as an apprentice with Southampton and came to Plough Lane on a free transfer in 1985. Very direct and a maker of goals who can play wide on either flank.

WIMBLEDON



TERRY GIBSON

Forward. Born Walthamstow 23.12.62. Former England Schools and Youth cap whose previous clubs were Spurs, Coventry and Manchester United, from whom he was signed in 1987. Very fast and a good finisher with either foot.

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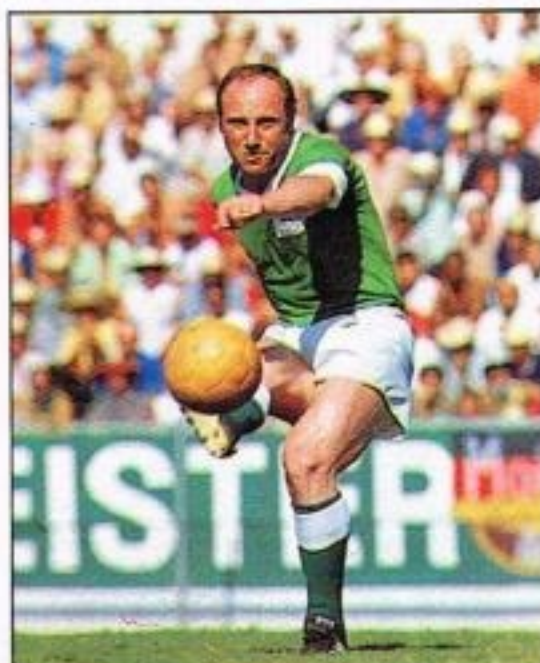
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UWE SEELER

Which West German player created a World Cup record for most appearances (21) in all finals matches — 1958, 1962, 1966 and 1970?



GEOFF HURST

Who is the only player to score a hat-trick in a World Cup Final (1966)?



JOHAN CRUYFF

Which Dutch international, the first player to win three European Footballer of the Year awards, captained Holland in the 1974 World Cup competition when they finished runners-up?



NORMAN WHITESIDE

Who became the youngest-ever player to appear in the final stages of the World Cup when he turned out for Northern Ireland in Spain in 1982 at the age of 17?



ANTONIO CARBAJAL

Which Mexican goalkeeper has made the most appearances (5) in the final stages of the World Cup – 1950, 1954, 1958, 1962 and 1966?



SANDOR KOCSIS

Which famous international scored 4 times for Hungary against West Germany in the finals of the 1954 World Cup and finished the tournament as leading scorer with 11 goals?



JUST FONTAINE

Who was the leading scorer in the 1958 World Cup finals with 13 goals, a figure never achieved before or since? He scored in every one of France's six matches.



PELE

Which Brazilian player has made the most World Cup final appearances (3) in winning teams – 1958, 1962 and 1970?



EUSEBIO

Who topped the 1966 World Cup finals scoring charts with 9 goals including 4 for Portugal against North Korea?



HELMUT SCHOEN

Who, in 14 years in charge of West Germany's national team, became the most successful manager in the history of the World Cup, leading his country to first, second and third places in the tournament?



JAIRZINHO

Who was the Brazilian who scored 7 goals including at least one in every match in the finals of the 1970 World Cup competition?



GERD MULLER

Who scored 19 goals in the 1970 World Cup competition including 9 in qualifying games? His 14 goals in the 1970 and 1974 World Cup finals is a record for the tournament.



DINO ZOFF

Which Italian goalkeeper and captain became the oldest winning medallist when he played in the 1982 World Cup Final at the age of 40?



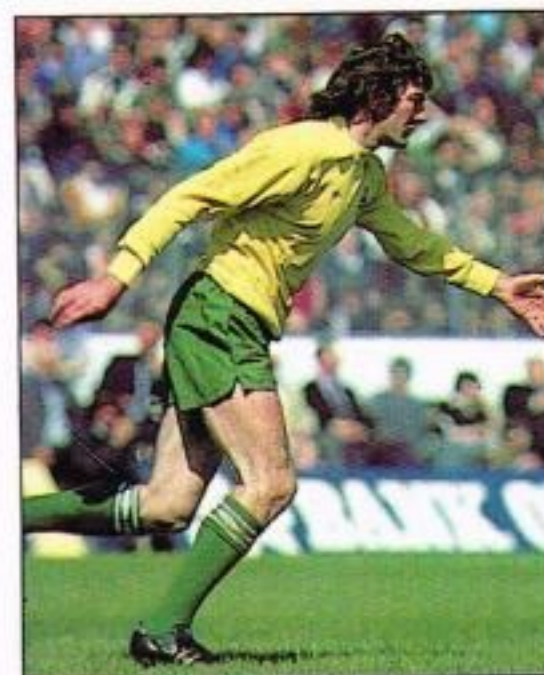
BRYAN ROBSON

Which player scored the fastest-ever World Cup finals goal (England v France, 1982)?



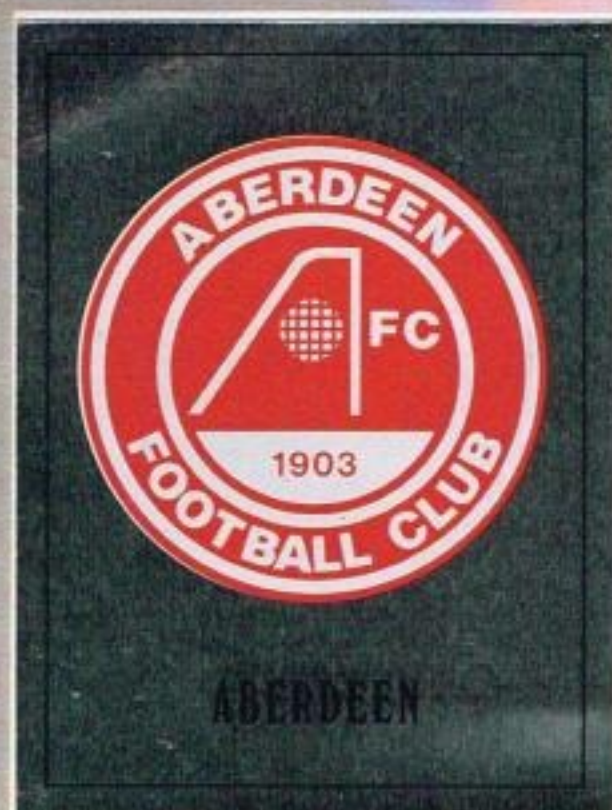
WLADYSLAW ZMUDA

Which Polish international defender equalled the record for World Cup finals appearances (21) in 1986?



PAT JENNINGS

Which goalkeeper, who made 1,098 appearances in first class football, retired from the game following a record 119th game for his country – a World Cup match against Brazil in 1986?



THE DONS

Address: Pittodrie Stadium, Aberdeen AB2 1QH.

Ground Capacity: 22,568.

Chairman: R. M. Donald.

Managers: Alex Smith & Jocky Scott.

Founded: 1903.

Former Names: None.

Most League Goals: Joe Harper, 199.

Most League Appearances: Willie Miller, 522 from 1973-88.

League History: 1905-06 Division 2, 1906-75 Division 1, 1975- Premier Division.

Honours: Division 1 Champions 1954-55, runners-up 1910-11, 1936-37, 1955-56, 1970-71, 1971-72. Premier Division Champions 1979-80, 1983-84, 1984-85, runners-up 1977-78, 1980-81, 1981-82, 1988-89. Scottish Cup winners 1947, 1970, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1986, runners-up 1937, 1953, 1954, 1959, 1967, 1978. League Cup winners 1955-56, 1976-77, 1985-86, runners-up 1946-47, 1978-79, 1987-88, 1988-89. European Cup-Winners' Cup winners 1983. Dryborough Cup winners 1971, 1980.



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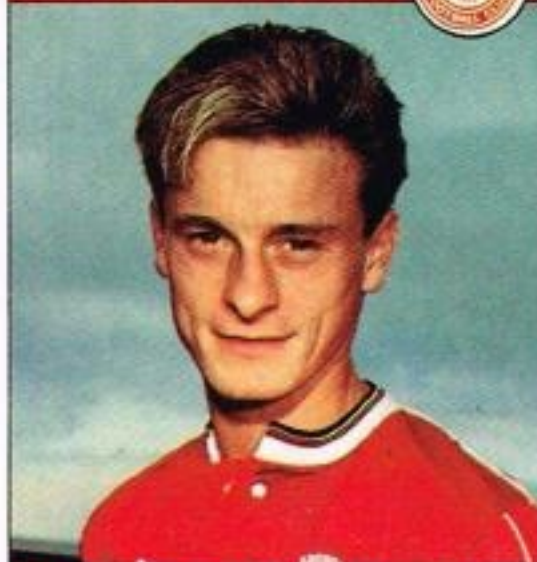
ABERDEEN



ALEX SMITH JOCKY SCOTT

Co-Managers. Now firmly established in a successful partnership as co-managers. Alex came from St. Mirren after previously serving Stirling Albion for many years, and former international inside-forward Jocky arrived following a successful career with Dundee.

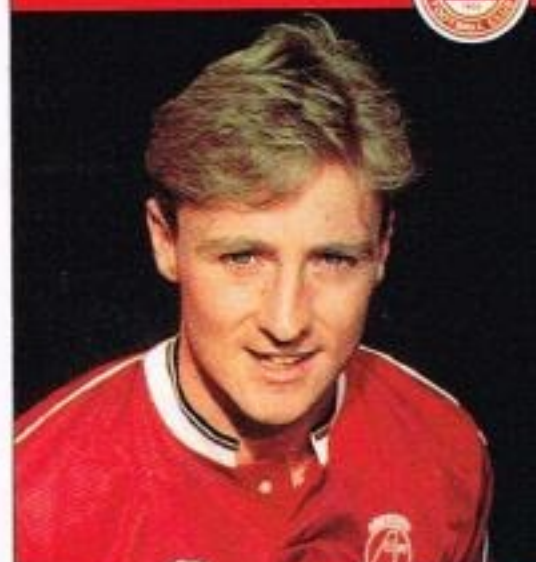
ABERDEEN



DAVID ROBERTSON

Defender. Born Aberdeen 17.10.68. Tall and athletic full-back who has emerged as one of the best young defenders in the country. He has the twin assets of good tackling ability and speed.

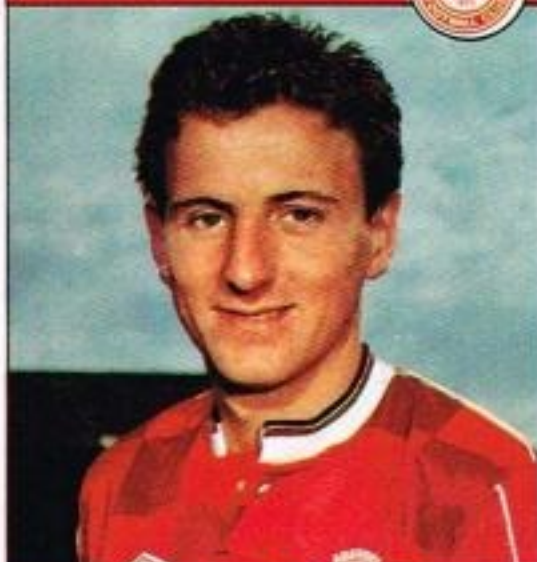
ABERDEEN



STEWART MCKIMMIE

Defender. Born Aberdeen 27.10.62. Sure-footed and confident full-back who is excellent when going forward to support the attack. He is comfortable on the ball and executes crisp tackling and passing.

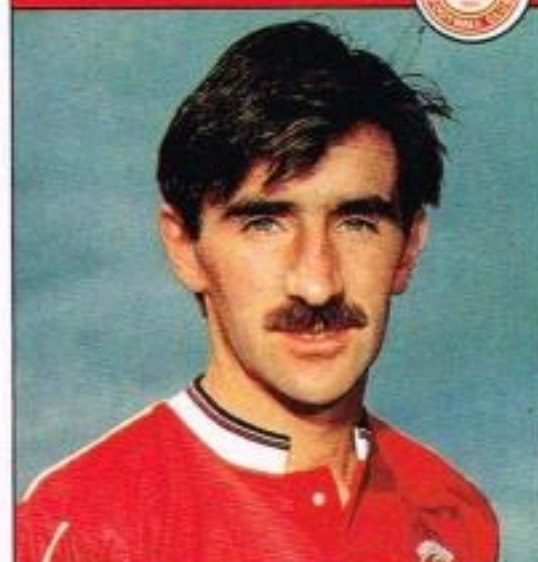
ABERDEEN



PAUL MASON

Midfield. Born Liverpool 3.9.63. A Dutch signing who arrived from Groningen for £200,000. A skilful passer of the ball, he is a versatile play-anywhere type who excels in either midfield or defence.

ABERDEEN



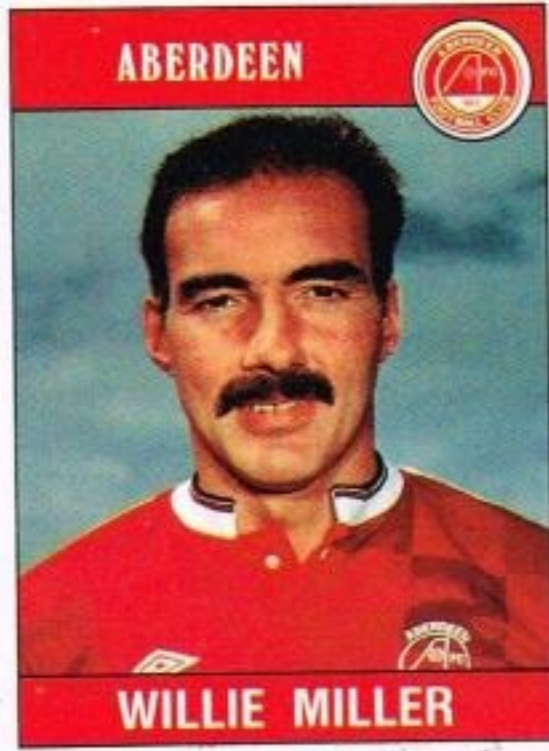
BOBBY CONNOR

Midfield. Born Kilmarnock 4.8.60. Played for Dundee before joining the Dons in 1986. Extremely talented with silky skills, he possesses a rare determination to succeed. Scottish international with nearly 400 league games to his credit.



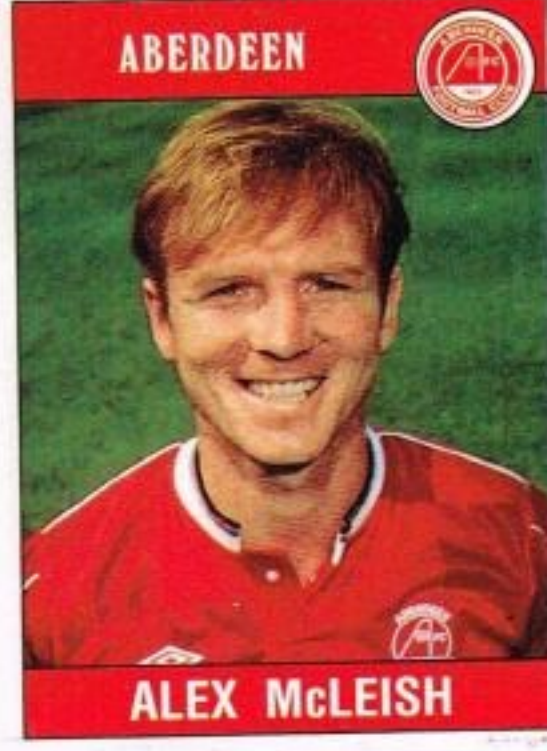
THEO SNELDERS

Goalkeeper. Born The Netherlands 7.12.63. Dutch international who was signed from FC Twente of Holland in 1988. An outstanding keeper who has adapted well to the Scottish game, he is a perfectionist who covers his area well.



WILLIE MILLER

Defender. Born Glasgow 2.5.55. Consistent, composed, a sound tactician and intelligent captain, he is a strong tackler who passes the ball well in his role as one of the game's finest sweepers.



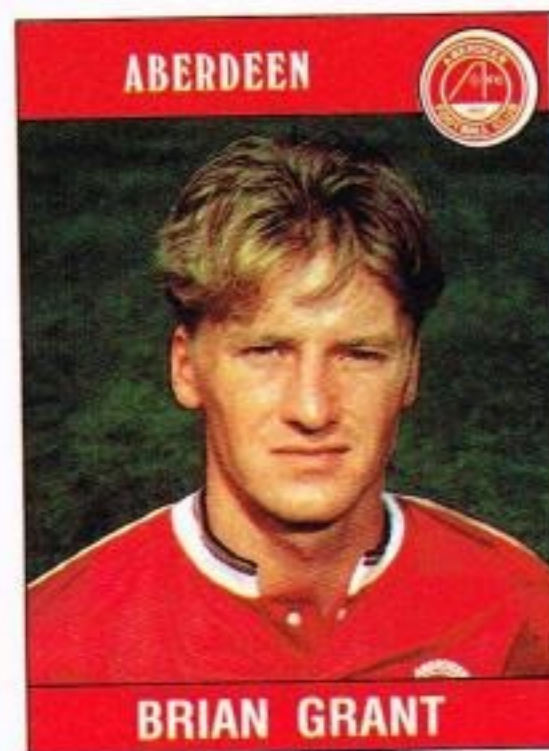
ALEX McLEISH

Defender. Born Glasgow 21.1.59. Excellent central defender who is sure in the tackle and good in the air. Has represented Scotland on over 50 occasions and gained countless honours in nearly 400 games with the Dons.



JIM BETT

Midfield. Born Hamilton 25.11.59. Scottish cap who was signed for £300,000 in 1985 from Belgian club SK Lokoren. A cool stylist and highly skilful, he has a natural affinity for ball play in tight situations.



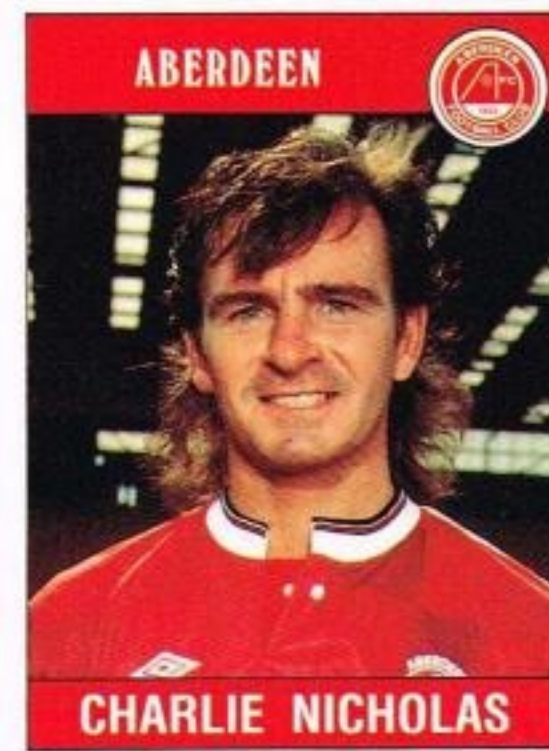
BRIAN GRANT

Midfield. Born Bannockburn 19.6.64. Strong, all-round player who was signed in 1984 from Stirling Albion. Valuable member of the team who likes to attack from mid-field and has also featured in the forward line.



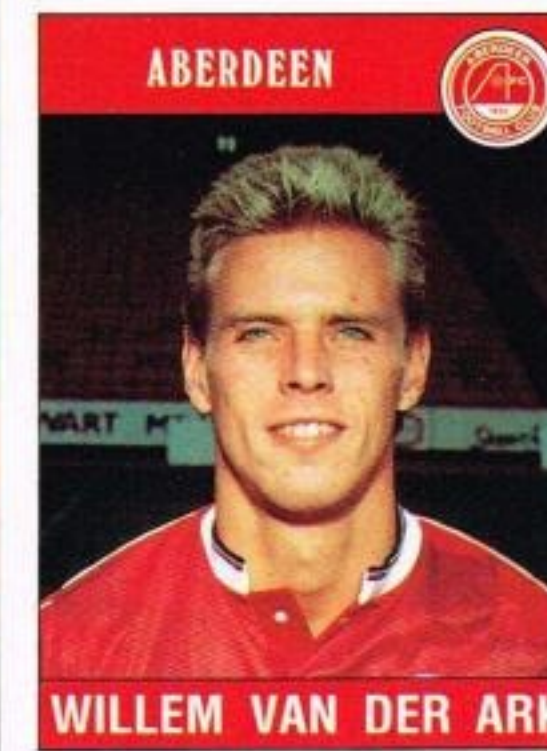
CRAIG ROBERTSON

Midfield. Born Dunfermline 22.4.63. Has developed into a dangerous attacker who scores more than his fair share of goals. Signed from Dunfermline for £200,000, he has good positional sense and acute awareness in the box.



CHARLIE NICHOLAS

Forward. Born Glasgow 30.12.61. Exceptional and unorthodox talent who attracts the crowds. His close control and cool ability have earned him a reputation as both a maker and taker of goal-scoring opportunities.



WILLEM VAN DER ARK

Forward. Born The Netherlands 13.11.63. Tall striker who is liable to give defenders problems both in the air and on the ground. A quick and forceful player who was signed from Dutch club Willem II for £300,000.



THE BHOYS

Address: Celtic Park, 95 Kerrydale Street, Glasgow G40 3RE.

Ground Capacity: 60,800.

Chairman: John C. McGinn.

Manager: Billy McNeill MBE.

Founded: 1888.

Former Names: None.

Most League Goals: James McGrory, 397.

Most League Appearances: Billy McNeill, 486, 1957-75.

League History: Founder Members of Division 1 1890. 1890-1975 Division 1, 1975- Premier Division.

Honours: Division 1 Champions 1892-93, 1893-94, 1895-96, 1897-98, 1904-05, 1905-06, 1906-07, 1907-08, 1908-09, 1909-10, 1913-14, 1914-15, 1915-16, 1916-17, 1918-19, 1921-22, 1925-26, 1935-36, 1937-38, 1953-54, 1965-66, 1966-67, 1967-68, 1968-69, 1969-70, 1970-71, 1971-72, 1972-73, 1973-74. Premier Division Champions 1976-77, 1978-79, 1980-81, 1981-82, 1985-86, 1987-88. League Championship runners-up 21 times. Scottish Cup winners 1892, 1899, 1900, 1904, 1907, 1908, 1911, 1912, 1914, 1923, 1925, 1927, 1931, 1933, 1937, 1951, 1954, 1965, 1967, 1969, 1971, 1972, 1974, 1975, 1977, 1980, 1985, 1988, 1989, runners-up 15 times. League Cup winners 1956-57, 1957-58, 1965-66, 1966-67, 1967-68, 1968-69, 1969-70, 1974-75, 1982-83, runners-up 8 times. European Cup winners 1967, runners-up 1970.

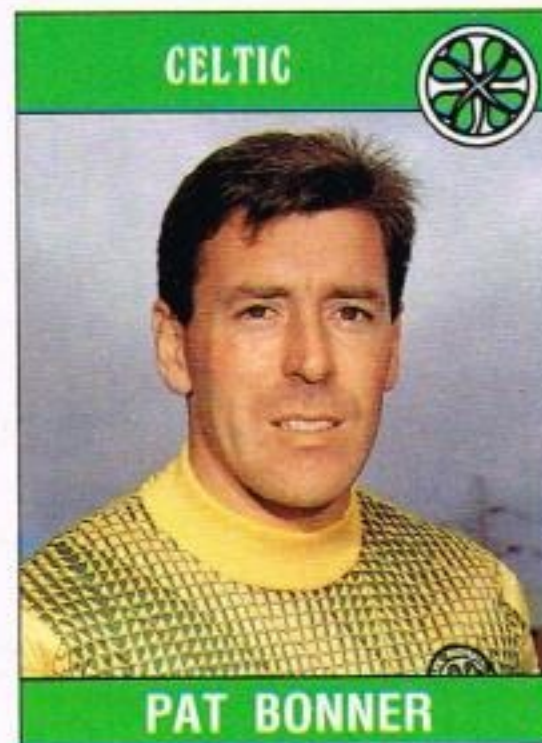


CELTIC



BILLY McNEILL MBE

Manager. Had a distinguished playing career and collected an astonishing 831 medals in his playing days with Celtic. Now in his second spell in charge, having also managed Clyde, Aberdeen, Manchester City and Aston Villa.



PAT BONNER

Goalkeeper. Born Donegal 25.5.60. Republic of Ireland international with a string of faultless displays to his credit. A very agile keeper who has won many honours in over 400 games for Celtic.



DEREK WHYTE

Defender. Born Glasgow 31.8.68. Very composed central-defender who reads the game well and displays first-class distribution under pressure. Excellent young player who has been capped at Schools, Youth, Under-24 and full international level.



PAUL ELLIOTT

Defender. Born London 18.3.64. Big, strong, but very fast centre-half in the traditional mould. He was signed from Italian club Pisa for £650,000 after previous spells with Charlton, Luton and Aston Villa.



PETER GRANT

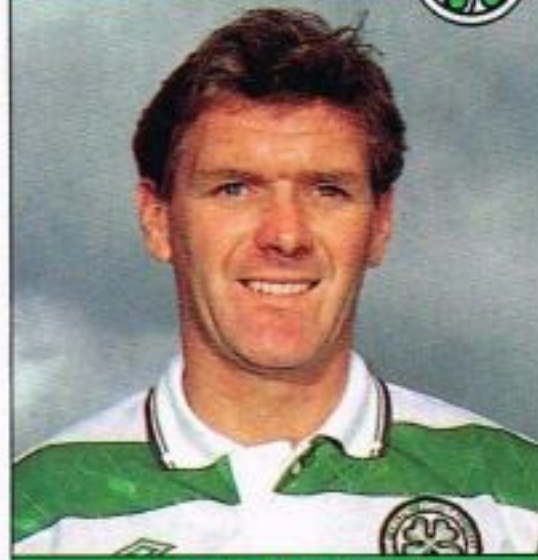
Midfield. Born Bellshill 30.8.65. Fine midfield player who has made nearly 200 appearances for the club. A combative, very fierce competitor who tackles well and possesses a terrific shot. Scotland Schools, Youth, Under-21 and full international.



MIKE GALLOWAY

Midfield. Born Oswestry 30.5.65. Signed from Hearts in 1989 for a fee of £500,000. Very tough midfield operator who can also play centre-half and up front where he has a strong instinct for goals.

CELTIC



ROY AITKEN

Defender. Born Irvine 24.11.58. Big, strong, whole-hearted defender whose commitment and stamina often disguise his subtlety and skill. Inspirational captain who has won numerous honours in over 600 matches for Celtic.

CELTIC



CHRIS MORRIS

Defender. Born Newquay 24.12.63. A cavalier attacking style allied to sound defensive qualities have helped him make the right-back berth his own. Likes to overlap and is a fine crosser of the ball.

CELTIC



ANTON ROGAN

Defender. Born Belfast 25.3.66. A fearless left-back whose all-round fitness and speed enable him to overlap successfully. Good header of the ball, he is now established in the Northern Ireland international side.

CELTIC



PAUL McSTAY

Midfield. Born Hamilton 22.10.64. Rapidly adding to a growing list of honours at club and international level. An exciting midfield player whose attacking and long-range shooting can introduce a dramatic element into any game.

CELTIC



JOE MILLER

Forward. Born Aberdeen 8.12.67. Signed from Aberdeen in 1987, this skilful winger has also given some breathtaking displays when moved into the middle. A brave, direct goalscorer who has been picked for the Under-21 side.

CELTIC



DARIUSZ DZIEKANOWSKI

Midfield. Born Poland 30.9.62. Experienced international who has been capped for Poland on 50 occasions. Skilful and a deadly finisher, this renowned goalscorer was signed from Legia (Warsaw) during the close season for £600,000.

CELTIC



ANDY WALKER

Forward. Born Glasgow 6.4.65. Scottish international who is one of the most dangerous penalty box players in the game, he was transferred from Motherwell in 1987 for £350,000. Has good positional sense and close control.



THE DEE

Address: Dens Park, Sandeman Street, Dundee DD3 7JY.

Ground Capacity: 22,381.

Chairman: Angus J. Cook.

Manager: Gordon Wallace.

Founded: 1893.

Former Name: None.

Most League Goals: Alan Gilzean, 113.

Most League Appearances: Doug Cowie, 341, 1945-61.

League History: 1894-1938 Division 1, 1938-47 Division 2, 1947-75 Division 1, 1975-76 Premier Division, 1976-79 First Division, 1979-80 Premier Division, 1980-81 First Division, 1981- Premier Division.

Honours: Division 1 Champions 1961-62, runners-up 1902-03, 1906-07, 1908-09, 1948-49. First Division Champions 1978-79, runners-up 1980-81. Division 2 Champions 1946-47. Scottish Cup winners 1910, runners-up 1925, 1952, 1964. League Cup winners 1951-52, 1952-53, 1973-74, runners-up 1967-68, 1980-81.



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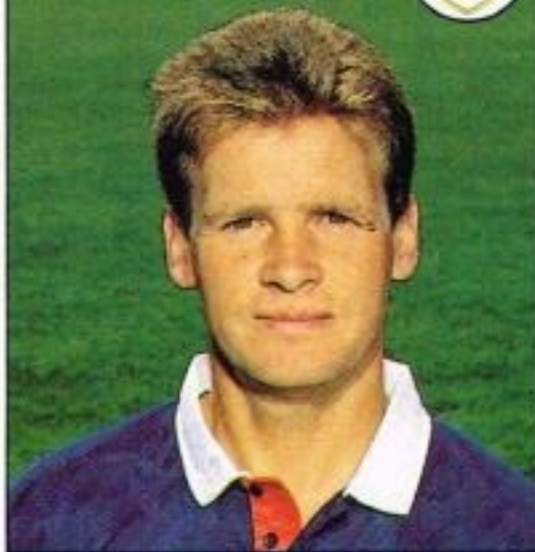
DUNDEE



GORDON WALLACE

Manager. Former player and favourite of the fans who is hoping to bring the good times back to Dens Park. Has previous experience as coach with neighbours Dundee United and with Raith Rovers as manager.

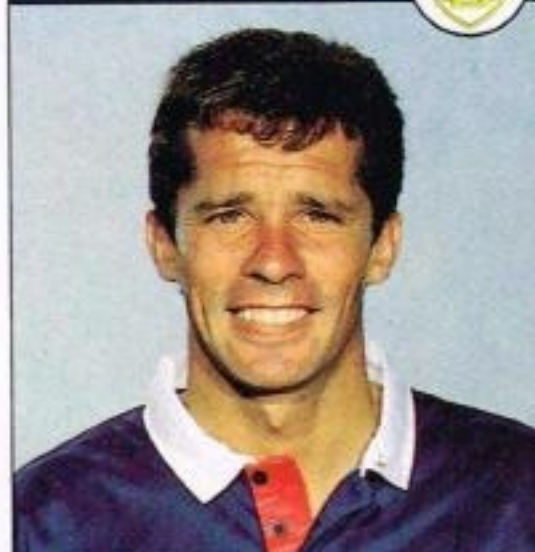
DUNDEE



GORDON CHISHOLM

Defender. Born Glasgow 8.4.60. Steady influence who played with Sunderland and Hibs prior to joining Dundee. Team captain and a stalwart in the middle of defence, he had the best season of his career last term.

DUNDEE



JOHN HOLT

Defender. Born Dundee 21.11.56. Played for the Scotland Youth team and has made over 300 senior appearances since making his League debut 16 seasons ago. He is a hard and relentless tackler.

DUNDEE



BILLY KIRKWOOD

Midfield. Born Edinburgh 1.9.58. Very experienced midfield organiser who supplies plenty of opportunities for his forwards. A troublesome opponent who is also a snapper-up of scoring chances. Previously with Dundee United, Hibernian and Dunfermline.

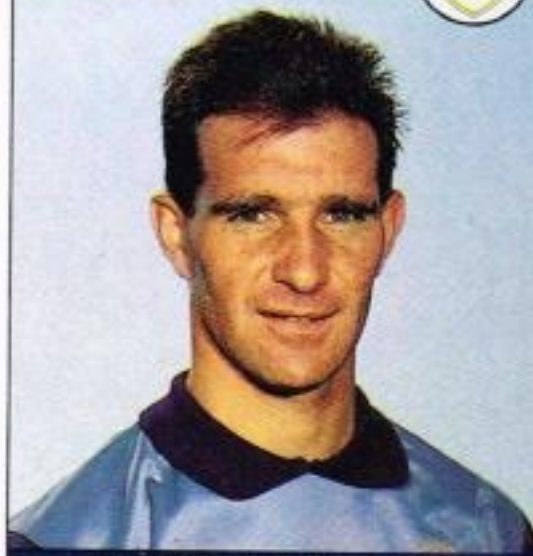
DUNDEE



ALAN CAMPBELL

Midfield/Forward. Born Dublin 10.8.60. An Irishman who has also played in Spain and Belgium, he is a player of useful versatility, tremendous pace and very direct in his approach. Plays with style and zest.

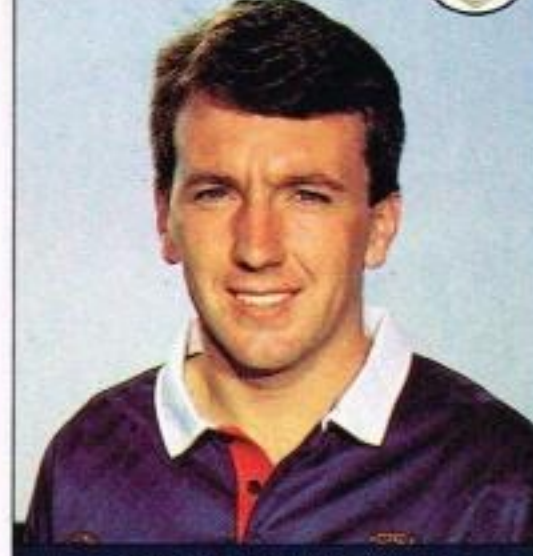
DUNDEE



BOBBY GEDDES

Goalkeeper. Born Inverness 12.8.60. Confident former Scottish Under-21 international who joined the club in 1977 from Ross County. Highly experienced and an instinctive saver with great agility which makes difficult shots look easy to save.

DUNDEE



RAB SHANNON

Defender. Born Bellshill 20.4.66. Scottish Youth and Under-21 cap who made his debut for Dundee in 1984. Very consistent player who fortifies the defence with his quickness, sureness in the tackle and tireless stamina.

DUNDEE



WES SAUNDERS

Defender. Born Sunderland 23.2.63. Extremely influential performer at the heart of defence who previously played with Carlisle and Newcastle United. Strong, with a liking for attack, he is a firm favourite with the supporters.

DUNDEE



STUART BEEDIE

Midfield. Born Aberdeen 16.8.60. Signed from Dunfermline during the close season, he had previously played with Hibs, Dundee United, St Johnstone and Montrose. A stylish player who likes to take control of a game and attack.

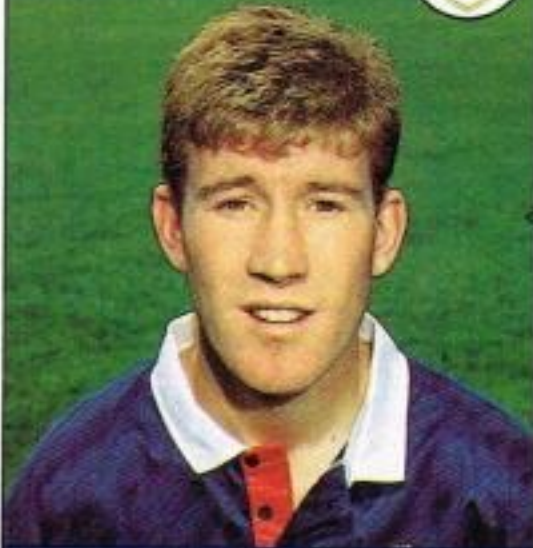
DUNDEE



STEPHEN FRAIL

Midfield. Born Glasgow 10.8.69. Up-and-coming Scotland Under-21 international who is hard-working and extremely mobile. A fine prospect who plays with great determination, he is always buzzing around purposefully to his opponents' discomfort.

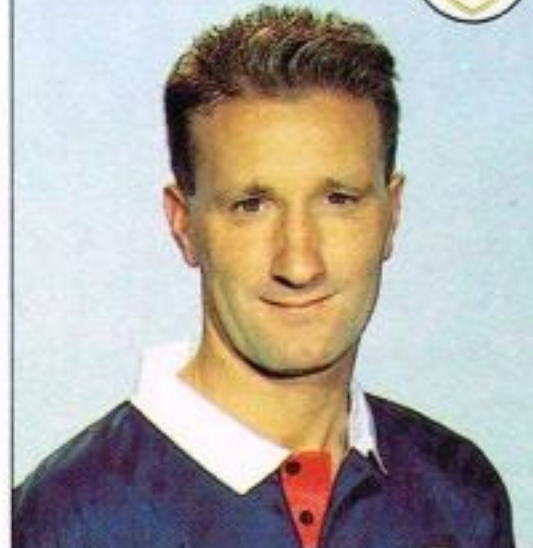
DUNDEE



KEITH WRIGHT

Forward. Born Edinburgh 17.6.65. Accomplished goalscorer with a deserved reputation as one of Scotland's finest marksmen. Very aggressive and direct, he is capable of scoring from all angles and will cause problems for any defence.

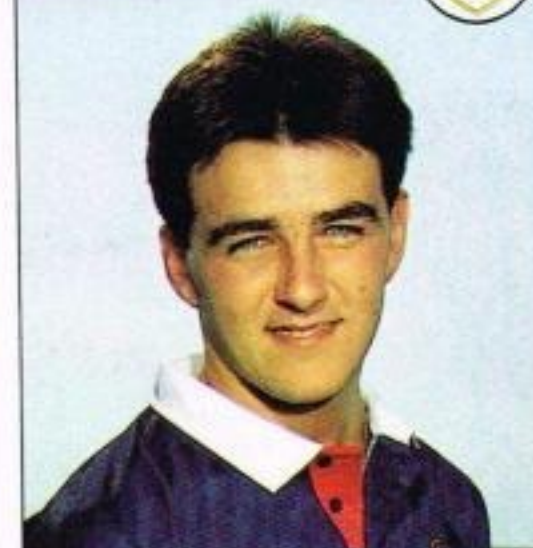
DUNDEE



GRAHAM HARVEY

Forward. Born Musselburgh 23.4.61. Tricky attacker who likes to turn defenders. Signed from Hibernian during the 1984-85 season, he has an infectious enthusiasm for the game and a keen eye for a goal.

DUNDEE



DUNCAN CAMPBELL

Forward. Born Paisley 11.9.70. Fine young prospect who made his League debut last season and produced some excellent performances. Very confident in his approach, he is an assertive attacker who has scored some brilliant goals.



THE TERRORS

Address: Tannadice Park, Tannadice Street, Dundee DD3 7JW.

Ground Capacity: 22,310.

Chairman: James Y. McLean.

Manager: Jim McLean.

Founded: 1909.

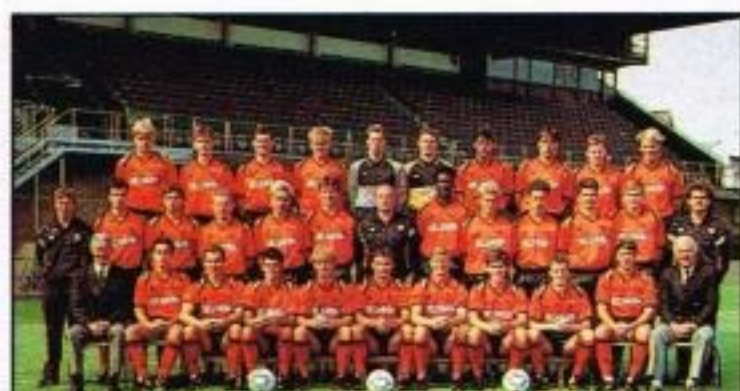
Former Names: Dundee Hibernian 1909-23.

Most League Goals: Peter MacKay, 202.

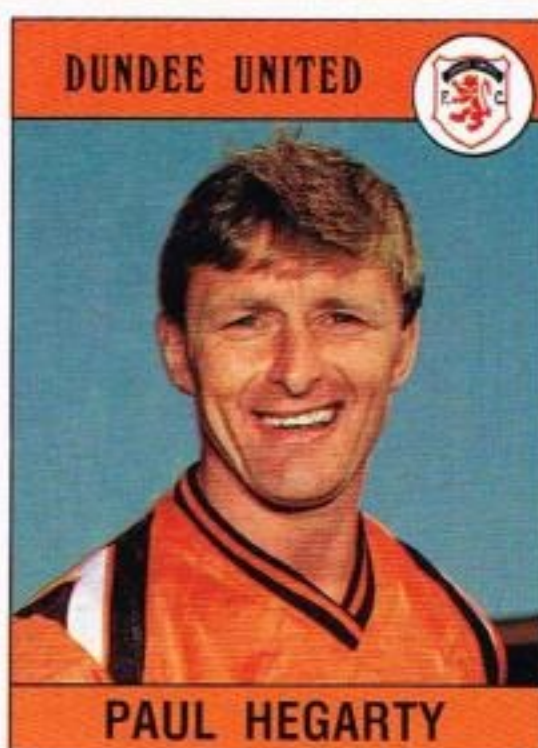
Most League Appearances: Hamish McAlpine, 625, 1969-85.

League History: 1911-15 Division 2, 1921-22 Division 2, 1923-25 Division 2, 1925-27 Division 1, 1927-29 Division 2, 1929-30 Division 1, 1930-31 Division 2, 1931-32 Division 1, 1932-60 Division 2, 1960-75 Division 1, 1975- Premier Division.

Honours: Premier Division Champions 1982-83. Division 2 Champions 1924-25, 1928-29, runners-up 1930-31, 1959-60. Scottish Cup runners-up 1974, 1981, 1985, 1987, 1988. League Cup winners 1979-80, 1980-81, runners-up 1981-82, 1984-85. UEFA Cup runners-up 1986-87.

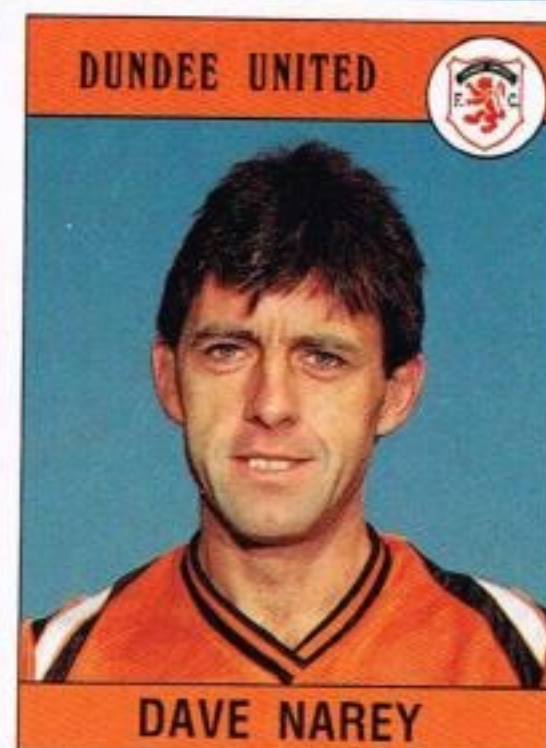


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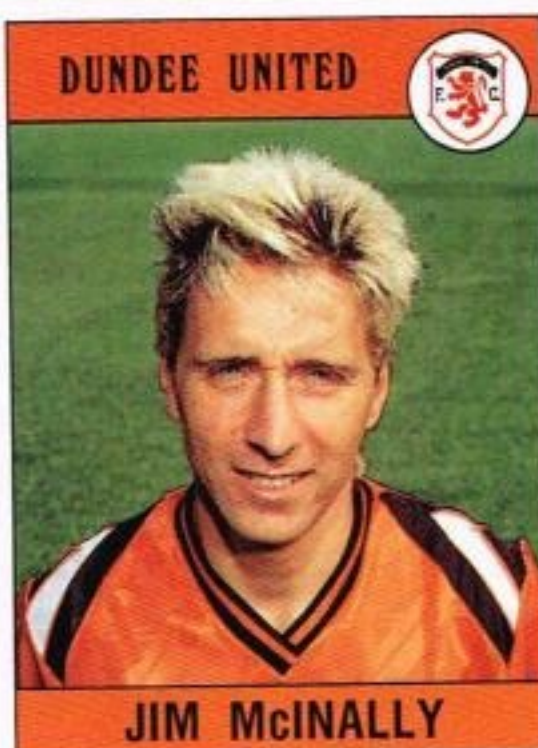
PAUL HEGARTY

Defender. Born Edinburgh 25.7.54. Signed as a striker from Hamilton in 1974 and converted to a defensive role. Solid and reliable Scottish international who has also represented the Scottish League and Under-21s.



DAVE NAREY

Defender. Born Dundee 21.6.56. Possess skill, perception, ball-control and good distribution. Scotland Youth and Under-21 cap who has played over 700 games for his only club. Reads the game well and is ultra-dependable.



JIM McINALLY

Midfield. Born Glasgow 19.2.64. Played for Nottingham Forest prior to his transfer from Coventry in 1986. Hard-working and a tenacious tackler who has represented Scotland at Youth, Under-21 and full level.



BILLY McKINLAY

Midfield. Born Glasgow 22.4.69. Came to prominence in the 1988 Scottish Cup Final and has been a first-team regular ever since. Signed from school, he is a busy and tenacious player with good distribution.

DUNDEE UNITED



JIM McLEAN

Manager. The Premier Division's longest serving manager who has brought unprecedented success to a club he is fond of calling the 'corner-shop'. Has the knack of developing young talent – a blueprint for a bright future.

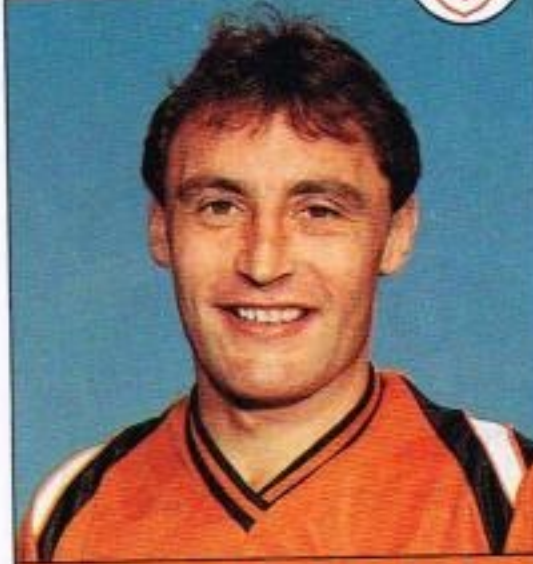
DUNDEE UNITED



ALAN MAIN

Goalkeeper. Born Elgin 5.12.67. Faces stern competition for the first-team spot and is looking to establish himself this season following some fine performances in the reserves last term. A good all-round keeper.

DUNDEE UNITED



MAURICE MALPAS

Defender. Born Dunfermline 3.8.62. Right-footed left-flank player who likes to be fully involved. Cultured, very fast and versatile, he is a loyal one-club man who has 28 Scottish caps to his credit.

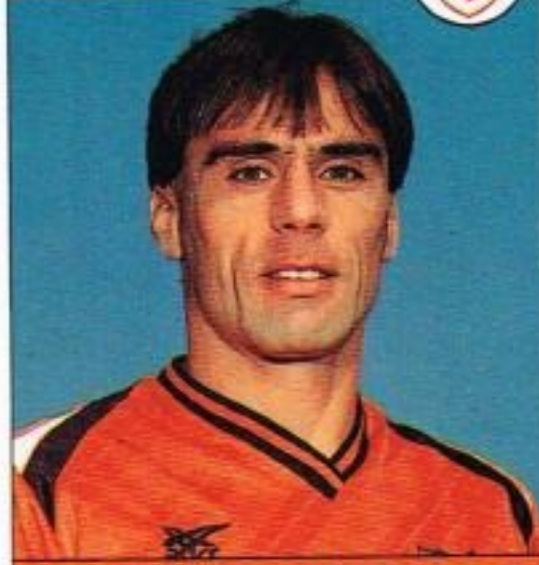
DUNDEE UNITED



JOHN CLARK

Defender. Born Edinburgh 22.9.64. Very forceful with an impressive physique, he is strong in the air and can turn defence into attack from deep in his own half. Possesses a fearsome shot.

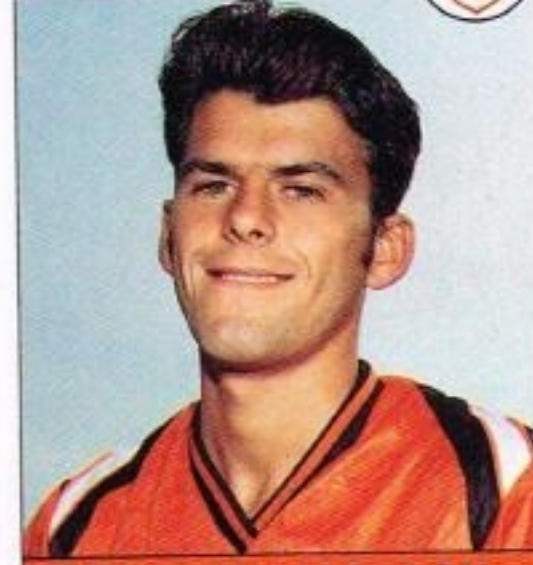
DUNDEE UNITED



MIODRAG KRIVOKAPIC

Defender/Midfield. Born Yugoslavia 6.9.59. Yugoslavian international who was signed from Red Star of Belgrade. Displays tremendous ball skills and is particularly effective in tight situations. An excellent man-marker who tackles solidly and covers well.

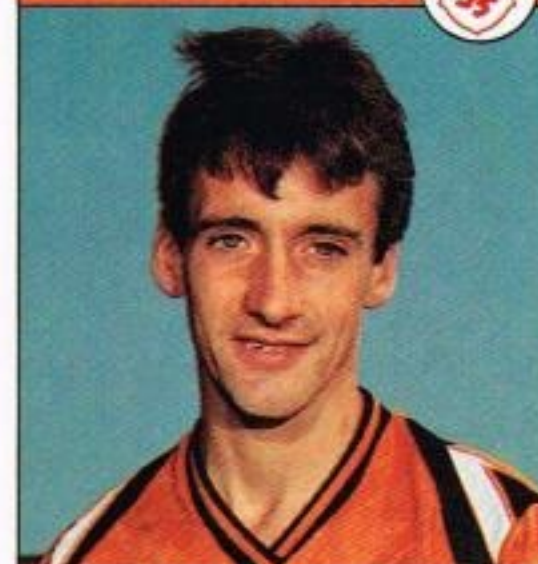
DUNDEE UNITED



DARREN JACKSON

Midfield. Born Edinburgh 25.7.66. Signed in 1988, he was injured after only four minutes of his debut for the club and has not played since. Now fully recovered, he is hoping to make a big impression this season.

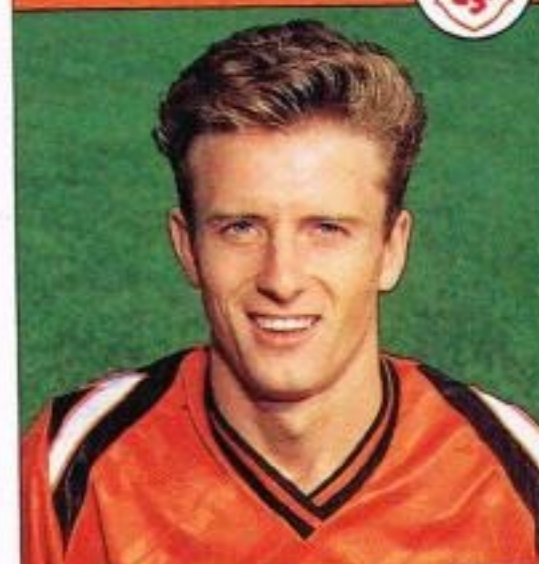
DUNDEE UNITED



HAMISH FRENCH

Forward. Born Aberdeen 7.2.64. Has suffered from long-term injuries since his arrival from non-league football in 1987. A good dribbler who likes to run with the ball, he can play wide or through the middle.

DUNDEE UNITED



KEVIN GALLACHER

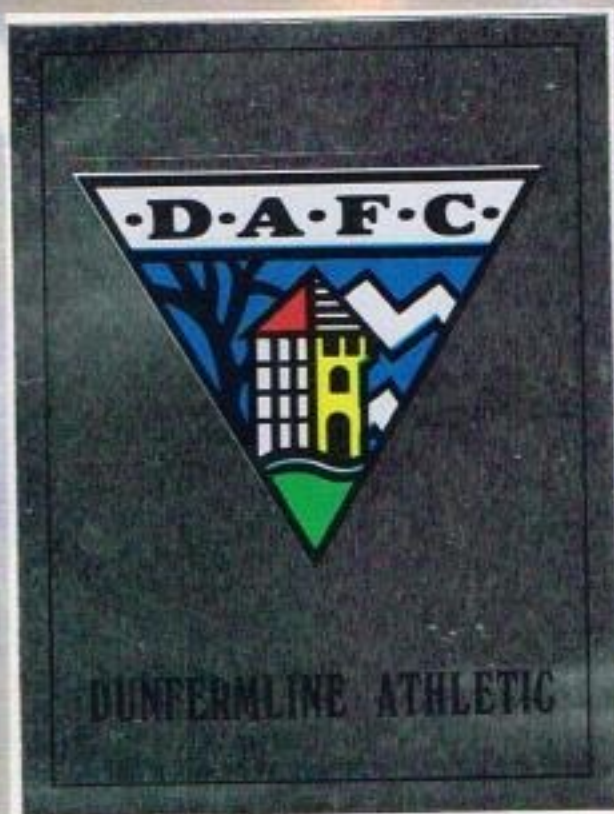
Forward. Born Clydebank 23.11.66. Came to Tannadice straight from school. A direct player with a wiry frame, he is one of the game's fastest strikers. Scottish international who has also played for the Under-21s.

DUNDEE UNITED



MIXU PAATELAINEN

Forward. Born Helsinki 3.2.67. Finnish international who has also represented his country in the Olympic Games. A tall and prolific scorer who is very fleet of foot, he was transferred from Haka in 1987.



THE PARS

Address: East End Park, Halbeath Road, Dunfermline KY12 7RB.

Ground Capacity: 27,500.

Chairman: William M. Rennie.

Manager: Jim Leishman.

Founded: 1885.

Former Names: None.

Most League Goals: Charles Dickson, 154.

Most League Appearances: Bobby Robertson, 360, 1977-88.

League History: 1912-15 Division 2, 1921-26 Division 2, 1926-28 Division 1, 1928-34 Division 2, 1934-37 Division 1, 1937-55 Division 2, 1955-57 Division 1, 1957-58 Division 2, 1958-72 Division 1, 1972-73 Division 2, 1973-75 Division 1, 1975-76 First Division, 1976-79 Second Division, 1979-83 First Division, 1983-86 Second Division, 1986-87 First Division, 1987-88 Premier Division, 1988-89 First Division, 1989- Premier Division.

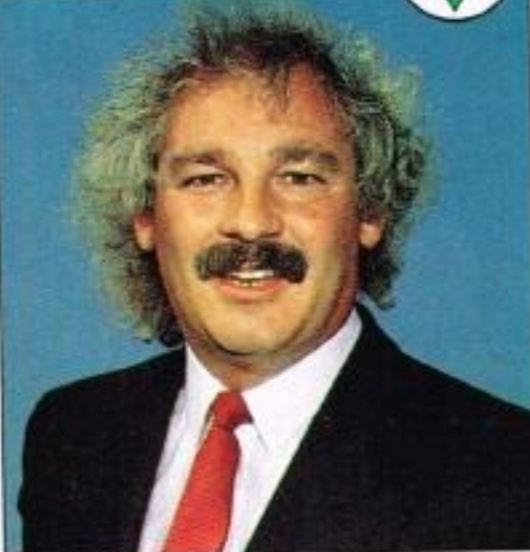
Honours: First Division Champions 1988-89. Division 2 Champions 1925-26, runners-up 1912-13, 1933-34, 1954-55, 1957-58, 1972-73. First Division runners-up 1986-87. Second Division runners-up 1978-79. Scottish Cup winners 1961, 1968, runners-up 1965. League Cup runners-up 1949-50.



DUNFERMLINE ATHLETIC



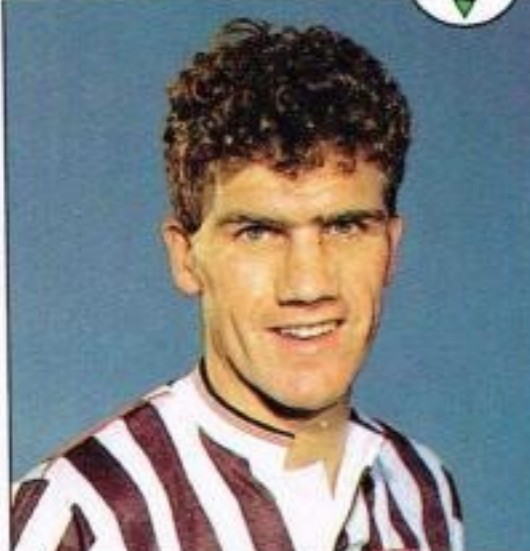
DUNFERMLINE ATHLETIC



JIM LEISHMAN

Manager. One of the youngest and most talented managers in Scottish football who took Dunfermline from the Second to the Premier Division in successive seasons. Immediately relegated, but has taken them back at the first attempt.

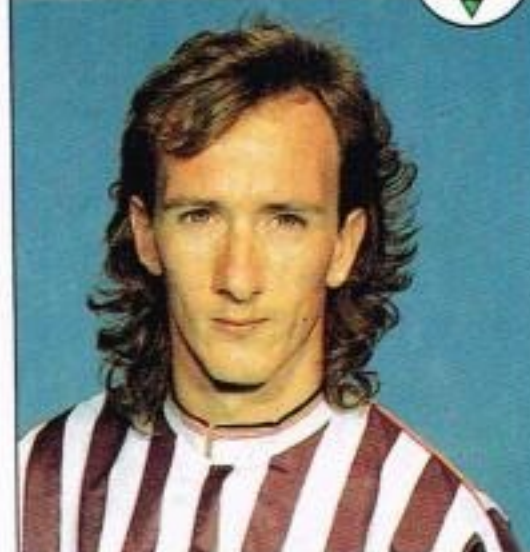
DUNFERMLINE ATHLETIC



GRANT TIERNEY

Defender. Born Falkirk 11.10.61. Very strong centre-half who was signed from Meadowbank Thistle for £70,000. An uncompromising tackler with exceptionally good judgement, he is also commanding in the air and covers well.

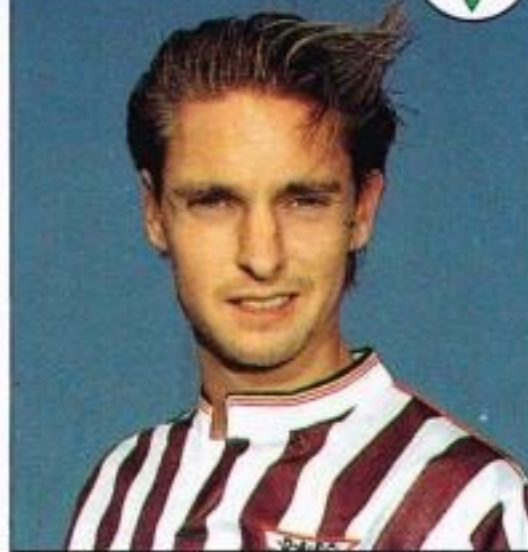
DUNFERMLINE ATHLETIC



HUGH BURNS

Midfield. Born Lanark 13.12.65. A never-say-die type of player who has previously played with Rangers, Hamilton and Hearts. Strong and highly committed, his skills have brought him recognition at Scottish Under-21 level.

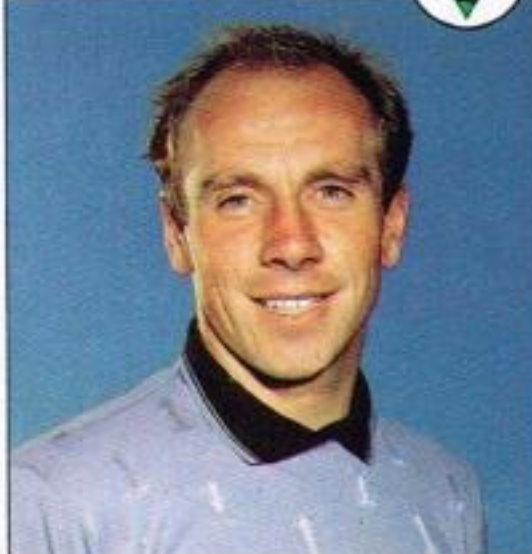
DUNFERMLINE ATHLETIC



MARK SMITH

Forward. Born Glasgow 16.12.64. Formerly with Celtic, he is a very fast, penetrative winger who loves to attack the full-back. Tremendous speed off the mark with the ability to shoot at speed.

DUNFERMLINE ATHLETIC



IAN WESTWATER

Goalkeeper. Born Loughborough 8.11.63. Excellent signing from Hearts in 1985 who has strengthened the defence with his consistency and reliability. Gets down low quickly and is adept at dealing with ground shots.

DUNFERMLINE ATHLETIC



GRAEME ROBERTSON

Defender. Born Dumfries 4.6.62. A steady influence at the back who is also very effective when coming forward. Signed from Queen of the South, he is a keen competitor, always composed and dependable.

DUNFERMLINE ATHLETIC



ANDY WILLIAMSON

Defender. Born Kirkcaldy 4.9.69. Versatile young defender who came through the junior ranks at East End Park. Possesses good heading ability, is a fine tackler and plays the ball out of defence with accuracy and confidence.

DUNFERMLINE ATHLETIC



RAYMOND SHARP

Defender. Born Stirling 16.11.69. Great prospect who developed in the youth team. Crisp tackling full-back with excellent ball control who likes to play out of defence with accurate passes.

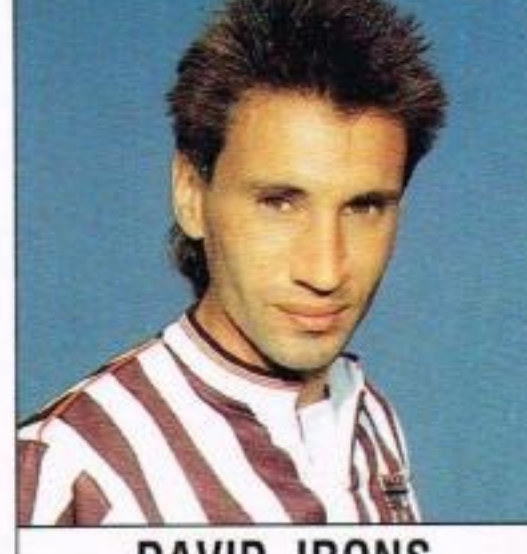
DUNFERMLINE ATHLETIC



STUART RAFFERTY

Midfield. Born Glasgow 6.3.61. Joined the club during the close-season from Dundee in a straight swap for Stuart Beedie. His hard-working, strong-tackling style has made him a force to be reckoned with.

DUNFERMLINE ATHLETIC



DAVID IRONS

Midfield. Born Glasgow 18.7.61. The club's record signing when he came from Clydebank for £80,000. Very dangerous at dead-ball situations, he possesses an excellent shot and his forwards benefit from his precise long passing.

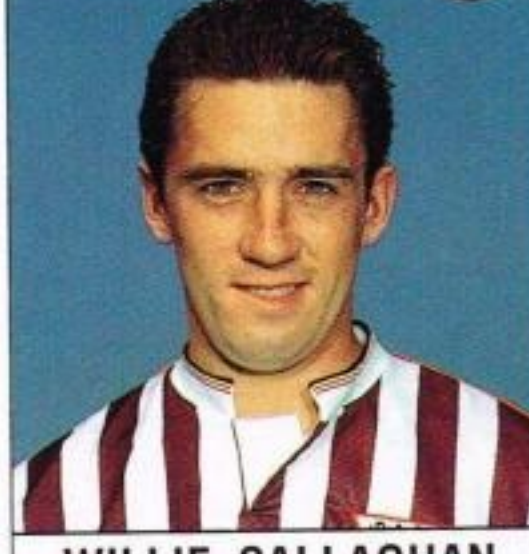
DUNFERMLINE ATHLETIC



ROSS JACK

Forward. Born Inverness 21.3.59. Club's leading goalscorer who was last season's First Division Player of the Year. Rightly effective centre-forward with good ball control and a cool ability to seize chances.

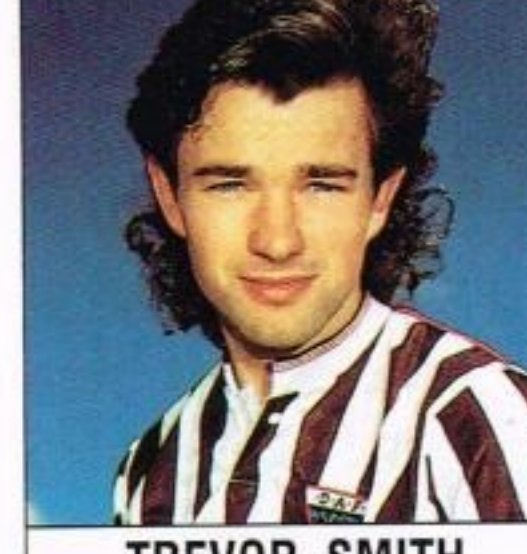
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WILLIE CALLAGHAN

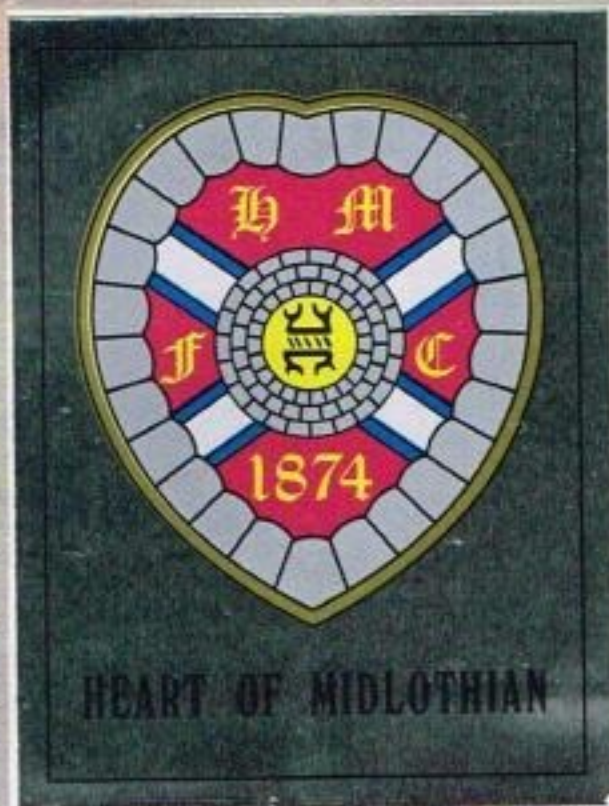
Forward. Born Dunfermline 23.3.67. Enthusiastic and traditional style of striker who likes to attack from deep positions and shoot on the run. A tireless worker who is courageous around the opponents' goal-mouth.

DUNFERMLINE ATHLETIC



TREVOR SMITH

Forward. Born Whitburn 6.5.65. Terrific prospect who has been at the club since his schooldays. Very versatile with good all-round ability, he likes to take defenders on and crosses the ball well.



THE JAM TARTS

Address: Tynecastle Park, Gorgie Road, Edinburgh EH11 2NL.

Ground Capacity: 29,000.

Chairman: A. Wallace Mercer.

Manager: Alex MacDonald.

Founded: 1874.

Former Names: None.

Most League Goals: Jimmy Wardhaugh, 206 from 1946-59.

League History: Founder Members, Division 1 1890. 1890-1975 Division 1, 1975-77 Premier Division, 1977-78 First Division, 1978-79 Premier Division, 1979-80 First Division, 1980-81 Premier Division, 1981-83 First Division, 1983-Premier Division.

Honours: Division 1 Champions 1894-95, 1896-97, 1957-58, 1959-60, runners-up 1893-94, 1889-99, 1903-04, 1905-06, 1914-15, 1937-38, 1953-54, 1956-57, 1958-59, 1964-65. First Division Champions 1979-80, runners-up 1977-78, 1982-83. Premier Division runners-up 1985-86, 1987-88. Scottish Cup winners 1891, 1896, 1901, 1906, 1956, runners-up 1903, 1907, 1968, 1976, 1986. League Cup Winners 1954-55, 1958-59, 1959-60, 1962-63, runners-up 1961-62.



HEART OF MIDLOTHIAN



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ALEX MacDONALD

Manager. Scottish international who won countless honours as a player with Rangers. Came to the club as player/manager in 1981 and has proved his managerial capabilities, moulding Hearts into a major force.

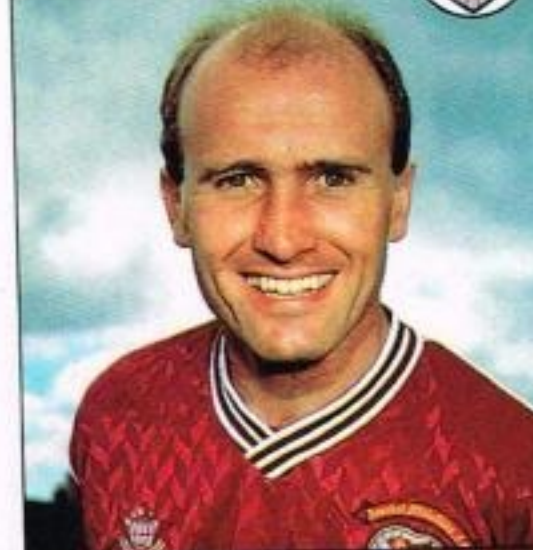
HEART OF MIDLOTHIAN



DAVE McPHERSON

Defender. Born Paisley 28.1.64. Shoulders a great deal of responsibility and is now established as a vital cog in the Hearts' defensive machine. Classy and composed centre-back who was signed from Rangers for £400,000.

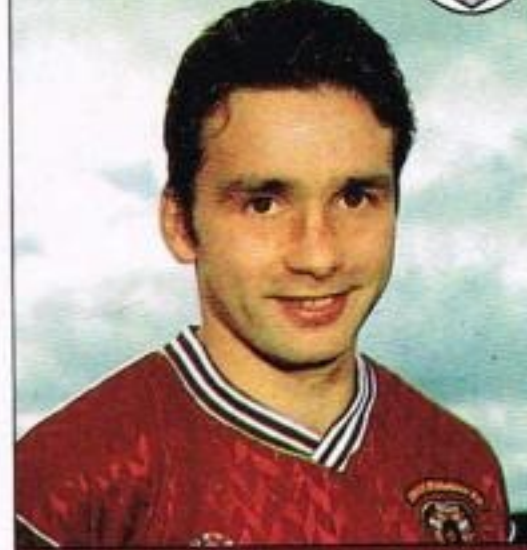
HEART OF MIDLOTHIAN



EAMONN BANNON

Midfield. Born Edinburgh 18.4.58. Scotland international who commanded a then record Scottish fee of £165,000 when moving from Chelsea to Dundee United in 1979. An excellent all-round player with the ability to score vital goals.

HEART OF MIDLOTHIAN



JOHN COLQUHOUN

Forward. Born Stirling 14.7.63. Very speedy Scottish international right-winger who can also fill the striker's role. Possesses tremendous talent in all aspects of attacking play and is a prolific goalscorer, often from difficult angles.

HEART OF MIDLOTHIAN



HENRY SMITH

Goalkeeper. Born Lanark 10.3.56. Has played over 300 senior games for the club. Very capable at dealing with crosses, he also shows good judgement, fast reactions and is a sure handler of the ball.

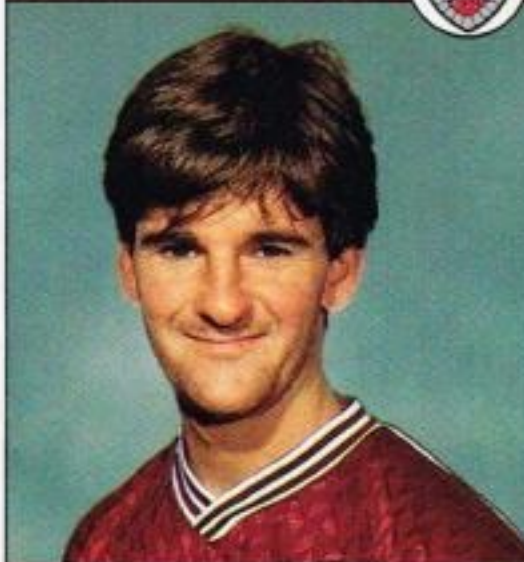
HEART OF MIDLOTHIAN



ALAN McLAREN

Defender. Born Edinburgh 4.1.71. Highly versatile youngster who broke into the first team last year. A fine prospect who can play in the middle of defence or right-back, he times his tackles to perfection.

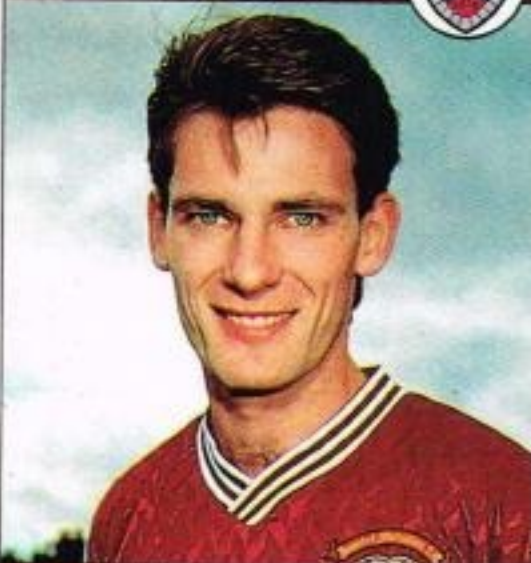
HEART OF MIDLOTHIAN



TOSH McKINLAY

Defender. Born Glasgow 3.12.64. Cool, composed and assured full-back with an excellent left foot who was signed from Dundee for £300,000. A master of the long pass who is adept in all defensive aspects.

HEART OF MIDLOTHIAN



CRAIG LEVEIN

Defender. Born Dunfermline 22.10.64. Very quick central defender who is on the verge of international honours. Signed from Cowdenbeath six seasons ago, he is an accomplished player who defends well and has acute positional sense.

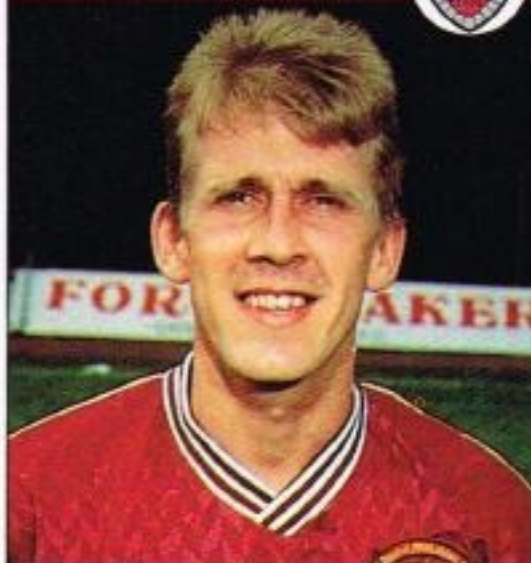
HEART OF MIDLOTHIAN



NEIL BERRY

Midfield. Born Edinburgh 6.4.63. Versatile and aggressive ball-winner who is equally at home playing in defence. Formerly with Bolton, he has a dashing style and is at his best under pressure.

HEART OF MIDLOTHIAN



GARY MacKAY

Midfield. Born Edinburgh 23.1.64. Local product who developed in the junior teams and rose to Scottish international status. A very creative and constructive player with great ball skills who likes to run at defences.

HEART OF MIDLOTHIAN



IAIN FERGUSON

Forward. Born Newarthill 4.8.62. Played for Dundee and Rangers prior to his £300,000 signing from Dundee United in 1988. Very dangerous in the penalty box, he is an opportunist and the scorer of many spectacular goals.

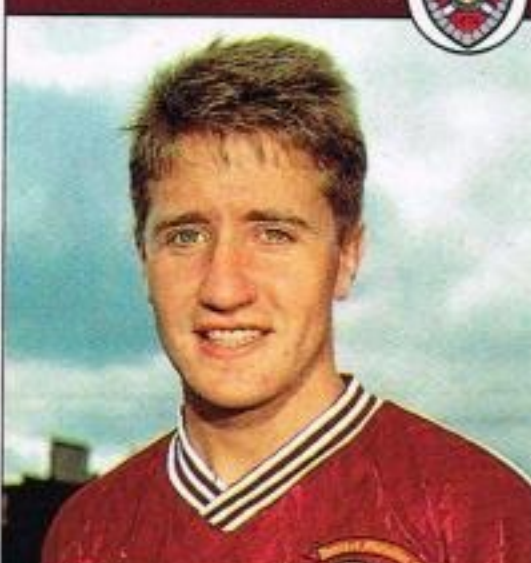
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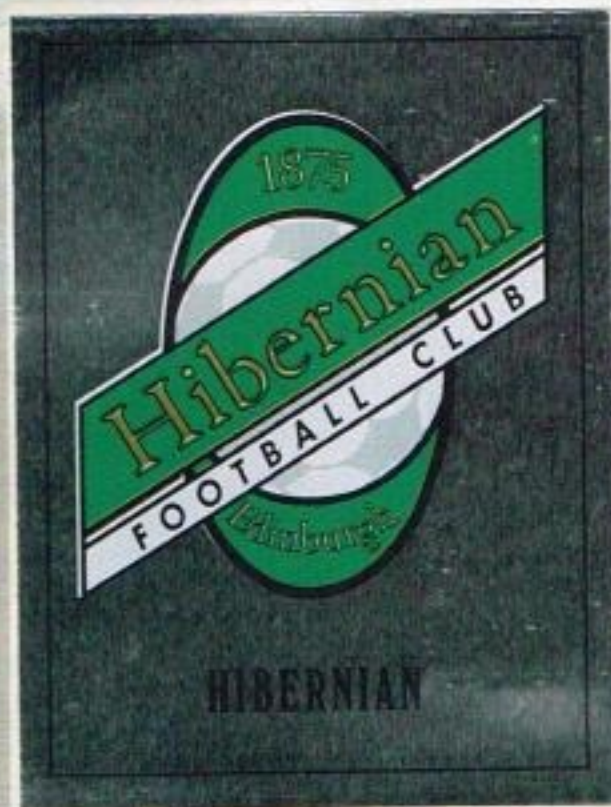
Forward. Born Yugoslavia 4.7.61. Yugoslavian international who was transferred from Red Star of Belgrade. A tall striker who is brave, aggressive and very quick. Has superb heading ability, and a good goal-scoring record.

HEART OF MIDLOTHIAN



JOHN ROBERTSON

Forward. Born Edinburgh 2.10.64. Penetrative Scotland Under-21 forward with qualities of pace, fine control and accurate passing. A rare handful for any defence with his teasing runs and ability to shoot from any angle.



HI-BEES

Address: Easter Road Stadium, Albion Road, Edinburgh EH7 5QG.

Ground Capacity: 23,353.

Chairman: David F. Duff.

Manager: Alex Miller.

Founded: 1875.

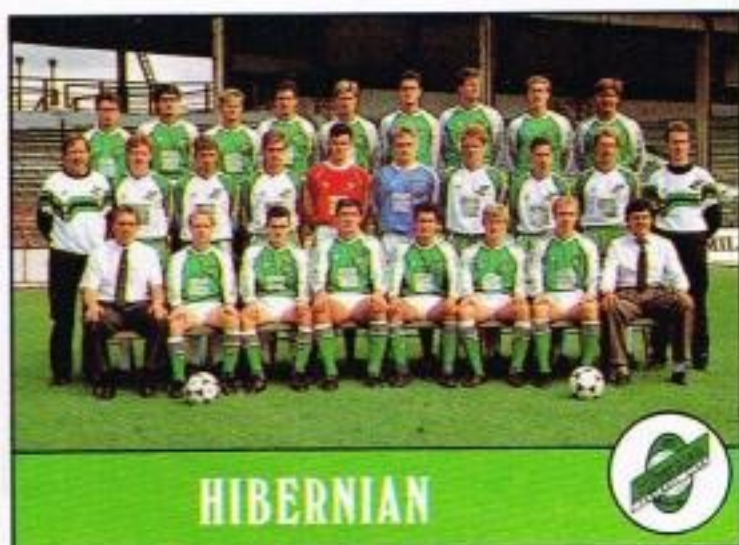
Former Names: None.

Most League Goals: Gordon Smith, 364.

Most League Appearances: Arthur Duncan, 446, 1970-84.

League History: 1893-95 Division 2, 1895-1931 Division 1, 1931-33 Division 2, 1933-75 Division 1, 1975-80 Premier Division, 1980-81 First Division, 1981-Premier Division.

Honours: Division 1 Champions 1902-03, 1947-48, 1950-51, 1951-52, runners-up 1896-97, 1946-47, 1949-50, 1952-53, 1973-74. First Division Champions 1980-81. Division 2 Champions 1893-94, 1894-95. Scottish Cup winners 1887, 1902, runners-up 1896, 1914, 1923, 1924, 1947, 1958, 1972, 1979. League Cup winners 1972-73, runners-up 1950-51, 1968-69, 1974-75.



HIBERNIAN



ALEX MILLER

Manager. Came to Hibernian in 1987 from St. Mirren. Had a distinguished playing career with Rangers and deserves credit for taking Hibs into Europe for the first time in 11 years last season.



ANDY GORAM

Goalkeeper. Born Bury 13.4.64. Keen and safe handler with good positional sense, he has proved his pedigree with some sound performances for Scotland. Represents his country at cricket. His father was Bury's goalkeeper 1950-58.



GRAHAM MITCHELL

Defender. Born Glasgow 2.11.62. Highly rated defender who displays good pace and a quality left foot. Played over 150 games for Hamilton before joining Hibs in 1986. Shows great vision and places his passes accurately.



JOE TORTOLANO

Defender. Born Stirling 6.4.66. Scottish Under-21 cap who can play anywhere down the left flank but excels in his full-back position. Very pacy with a liking for coming forward.



NEIL ORR

Midfield. Born Airdrie 13.5.59. Played with Morton and West Ham before signing for Hibs for £100,000 in 1987. Very solid, dependable player who inspires his colleagues and has proved to be an excellent buy.



MICKY WEIR

Midfield. Born Edinburgh 16.1.66. Another of the club's Scotland Under-21 caps who missed most of last season through injury. A player of exciting skills and tremendous potential, he is a gifted ball player.

HIBERNIAN



GORDON RAE

Defender. Born Edinburgh 3.5.58. Team captain who has played well over 300 League games and scored nearly 50 goals in 12 seasons at Easter Road. Solid centre-back who is dominant in the air and tackles well.

HIBERNIAN



GORDON HUNTER

Defender. Born Wallyford 3.5.67. Scotland Youth and Under-21 cap who made his debut for the club in 1984. Very quick with good positional sense, he times his tackles well and rarely loses a heading duel.

HIBERNIAN



JOHN COLLINS

Midfield. Born Galashiels 31.1.68. One of the most talented young midfielders in the land. Charismatic with a great touch, he is a highly rated all-rounder who has represented Scotland at Under-21 and full level.

HIBERNIAN



PAUL KANE

Midfield. Born Edinburgh 20.6.65 Came up through the ranks at Easter Road and progressed to Scotland Under-21 standard. Adaptable and a tireless runner, he plays with a rare determination and scores regularly.

HIBERNIAN



STEVE ARCHIBALD

Forward. Born Glasgow 27.9.56. Predatory goalscorer who won many honours with former clubs Aberdeen, Spurs and Barcelona. Intelligent and a master at capitalising on half-chances in confined spaces.

HIBERNIAN



GARETH EVANS

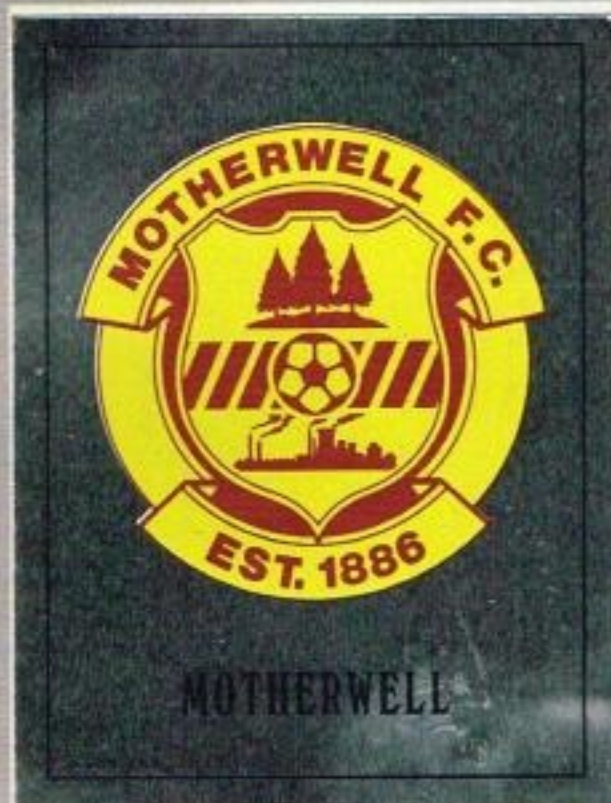
Forward. Born Coventry 14.1.67. Among the most promising young talents in the Premier Division. A tremendous worker who possesses the heart of a lion, his unexpected moves can swing a game.

HIBERNIAN



KEITH HOUCHEN

Forward. Born Middlesbrough 25.7.60. Signed from Coventry City for £300,000 in 1989, he threatens to be a very valuable acquisition. A big and experienced target man who has played for six clubs during his 15-year career.



THE WELL

Address: Fir Park, Motherwell ML1 2QN.

Ground Capacity: 23,500.

Chairman: John C. Chapman.

Manager: Tommy McLean.

Founded: 1886.

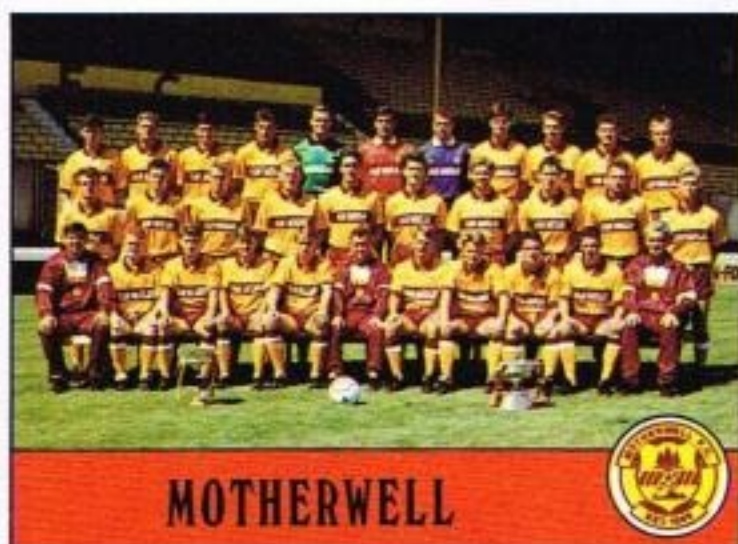
Former Names: None.

Most League Goals: Hugh Ferguson, 283.

Most League Appearances: Bobby Ferrier.

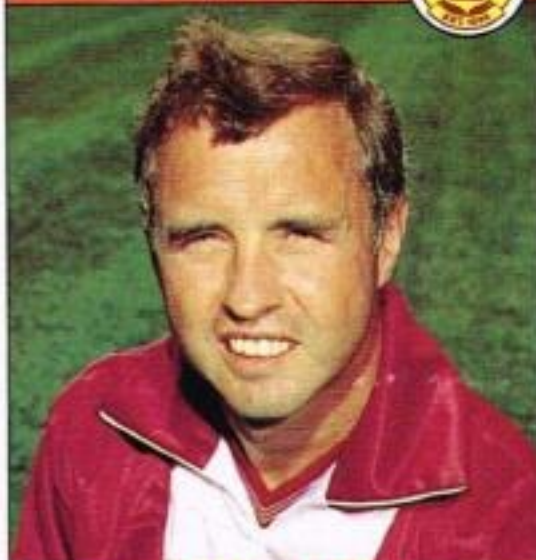
League History: 1893-1903 Division 2, 1903-53 Division 1, 1953-54 Division 2, 1954-68 Division 1, 1968-69 Division 2, 1969-75 Division 1, 1975-79 Premier Division, 1979-82 First Division, 1982-84 Premier Division, 1984-85 First Division, 1985- Premier Division.

Honours: Division 1 Champions 1931-32, runners-up 1926-27, 1929-30, 1932-33, 1933-34. First Division Champions 1981-82, 1984-85. Division 2 Champions 1953-54, 1968-69, runners-up 1894-95, 1902-03. Scottish Cup winners 1952, runners-up 1931, 1933, 1939, 1951. League Cup winners 1950-51, runners-up 1954-55.



MOTHERWELL

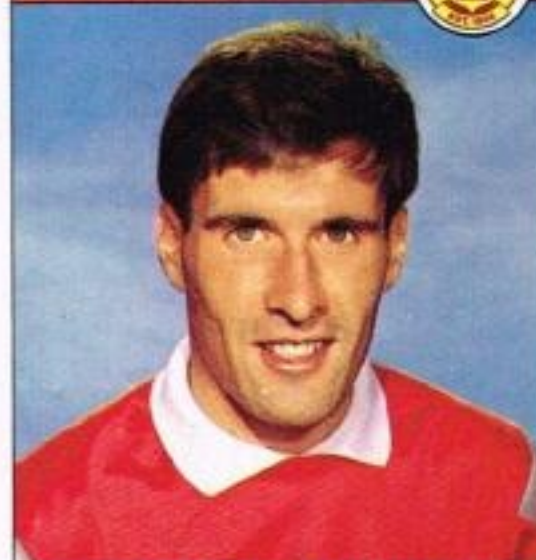
MOTHERWELL



TOMMY McLEAN

Manager. Has been in charge at Fir Park since 1984. As a player with Kilmarnock and Rangers he won every honour in the Scottish game including caps at Scottish League, Youth, Amateur and full level.

MOTHERWELL



ALISTAIR MAXWELL

Goalkeeper. Born Hamilton 29.6.60. Had to fill the role of understudy for a number of years but has now broken through to gain a regular first-team spot. Acrobatic with fast reflexes, he has a good pair of hands.

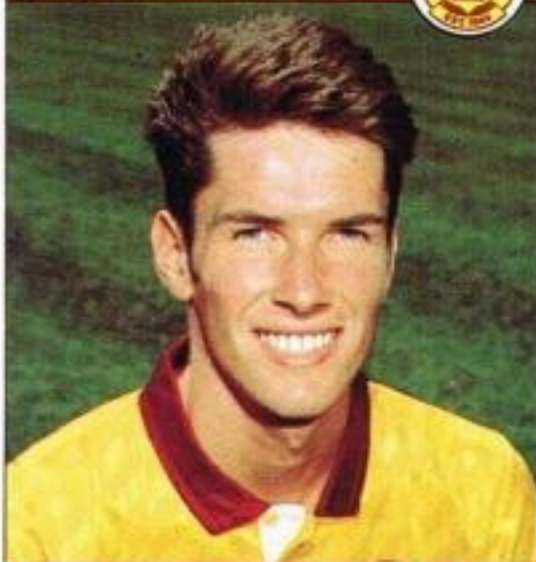
MOTHERWELL



TOMMY BOYD

Defender. Born Glasgow 24.11.65. Utility defender who joined Motherwell straight from school in 1983. A versatile and pacy player who uses his all-round ability to good advantage. Scottish Under-21 international who likes to break forward.

MOTHERWELL



CHRIS McCART

Defender. Born Motherwell 17.4.67. A very promising product of local soccer. Cool under pressure at the centre of defence, he is a tigerish tackler with positional sense of the highest order.

MOTHERWELL



COLIN O'NEILL

Midfield. Born Belfast 14.6.63. Northern Ireland international who was signed from Portadown in 1988 and proved to be the bargain of the season. Very aggressive and a fine tackler, he likes to direct operations.

MOTHERWELL



DAVE McCABE

Forward. Born Port Glasgow 3.4.62. One of the fastest strikers in Scottish football and uses his speed to good advantage. Very direct with a potent shot and capable of converting chances from difficult situations.

MOTHERWELL



CRAIG PATERSON

Defender. Born South Queensferry 2.10.59. Experienced central-defender who played with Hibs and Rangers before coming to Fir Park in 1987. Reliable, difficult to beat and covers the penalty area well.

MOTHERWELL



TOM McADAM

Defender. Born Glasgow 9.4.54. Cultured pivot who has played over 500 senior games for Dumbarton, Dundee United, Celtic and Motherwell. A steadying influence on the players around him and a good reader of a game.

MOTHERWELL



STEVE KIRK

Midfield. Born Kirkcaldy 3.1.63. Formerly with Stoke, Partick Thistle and East Fife before joining Motherwell in 1986. Attacking player who causes trouble for defenders and is good at set pieces. Scotland's leading midfield scorer last season.

MOTHERWELL



BOBBY RUSSELL

Midfield. Born Glasgow 11.2.57. Former Scottish Under-21 cap who was transferred from Rangers for £50,000 in 1987. Skilful with tremendous passing ability, he plays a vital and dominant role in midfield.

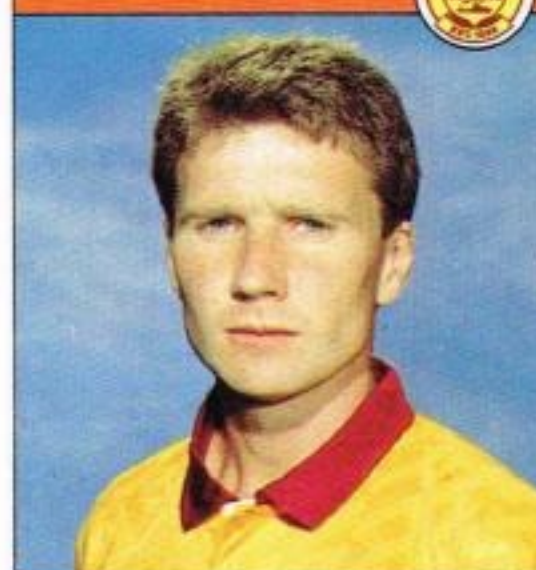
MOTHERWELL



MARTIN McBRIDE

Forward. Born Bellshill 28.11.67. Developed through the junior ranks at Fir Park and did exceptionally well when he gained a regular spot last season. A speedy winger who can cross the ball with pinpoint accuracy.

MOTHERWELL



JOHN GAHAGAN

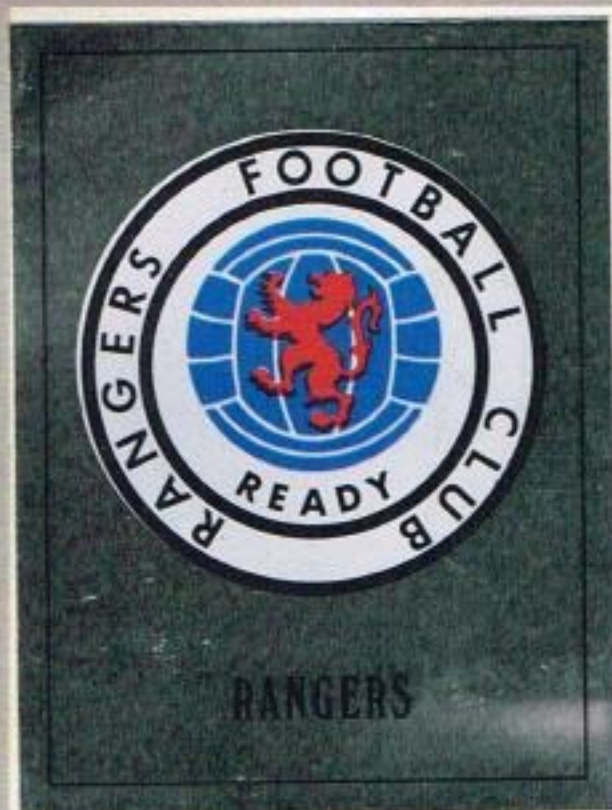
Forward. Born Glasgow 24.8.58. Long-established traditional-style winger who started his career with Clydebank and has played over 250 League games for Motherwell since his arrival in 1979. He can play on either flank.

MOTHERWELL



DOUGIE ARNOTT

Forward. Born Lanark 5.8.64. Signed from non-league football and established himself in the first team towards the end of last term. Adaptable little forward and a clever one, he shows a fine turn of speed.



THE GERS

Address: Ibrox Stadium, Glasgow G51 2XD.

Ground Capacity: 44,500.

Chairman: David Murray.

Manager: Graeme Souness.

Founded: 1873.

Former Names: None.

Most League Goals: Bob McPhail, 233.

Most League Appearances: John Greig, 496, 1962-78.

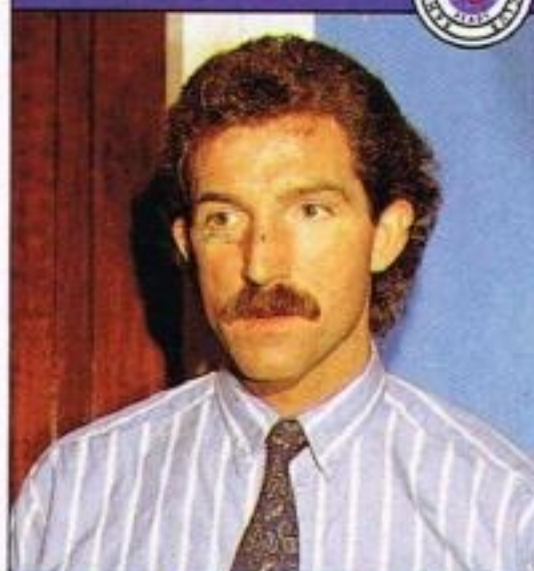
League History: Founder Members of Division 1 1890. 1890-1975 Division 1, 1975- Premier Division.

Honours: Division 1 Champions 1890-91 (shared with Dumbarton), 1898-99, 1899-1900, 1900-01, 1901-02, 1910-11, 1911-12, 1912-13, 1917-18, 1919-20, 1920-21, 1922-23, 1923-24, 1924-25, 1926-27, 1927-28, 1928-29, 1929-30, 1930-31, 1932-33, 1933-34, 1934-35, 1936-37, 1938-39, 1946-47, 1948-49, 1949-50, 1952-53, 1955-56, 1956-57, 1958-59, 1960-61, 1962-63, 1963-64, 1974-75. Premier Division Champions 1975-76, 1977-78, 1986-87, 1988-89, runners-up 23 times. Scottish Cup winners 1894, 1897, 1898, 1903, 1928, 1930, 1932, 1934, 1935, 1936, 1948, 1949, 1950, 1953, 1960, 1962, 1963, 1964, 1966, 1973, 1976, 1978, 1979, 1981, runners-up 15 times. League Cup winners 1946-47, 1948-49, 1960-61, 1961-62, 1963-64, 1964-65, 1970-71, 1975-76, 1977-78, 1978-79, 1981-82, 1983-84, 1984-85, 1986-87, 1987-88, 1988-89, runners-up 6 times. European Cup-Winners' Cup winners 1971-72, runners-up 1960-61, 1966-67.



RANGERS

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GRAEME SOUNESS

Manager. Former Scottish international and inspirational leader with Middlesbrough, Liverpool and Sampdoria of Italy. Came to Ibrox as player/manager in 1986 and found immediate success following a series of major signings.

RANGERS



CHRIS WOODS

Goalkeeper. Born Boston 14.11.59. Signed from Norwich City in 1986 for a then world record fee for a keeper of £600,000. Set a new British 'shut-out' record of 1,196 minutes in his first season with the club.

RANGERS



TERRY BUTCHER

Defender. Born Singapore 28.12.58. Proven to be worth every penny of the £725,000 fee paid to Ipswich Town in 1986. A magnificent leader, he is an established England international with two World Cups behind him.

RANGERS



RICHARD GOUGH

Defender. Born Sweden 5.4.62. He is a versatile performer in whom it is hard to spot a weakness. A fine header of the ball, he was signed from Spurs for £1.1 million in 1987.

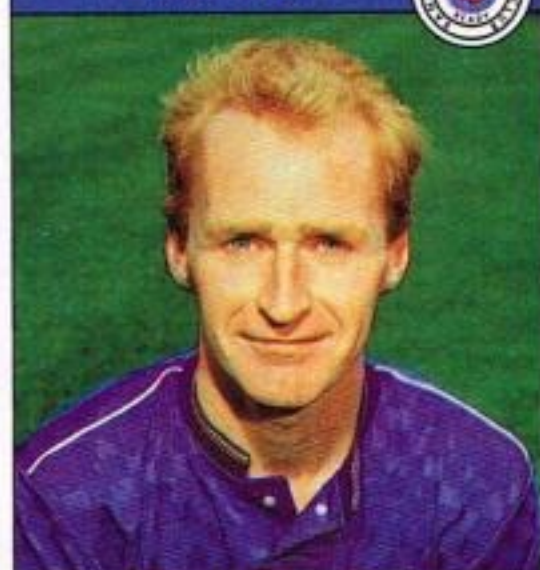
RANGERS



TREVOR STEVEN

Midfield. Born Berwick 21.9.63. One of the game's most gifted players who had a distinguished career with Everton before being signed for £1.5 million in 1989. Combines the role of midfield player and winger to excellent effect.

RANGERS



JOHN BROWN

Midfield. Born Stirling 26.1.62. One of the most tenacious players in Scotland; strong-tackling and an accurate passer of the ball. Realised a boyhood dream when transferred to Ibrox in 1988 from Dundee for £350,000.

RANGERS

RANGERS



GARY STEVENS

Defender. Born Barrow 27.3.63. He is one of the fittest players around and lends weight to attack as well as defence. Signed in 1988 for £1 million from Everton, where he won the game's top honours.

RANGERS



IAN FERGUSON

Midfield. Born Glasgow 15.3.67. Signed from St Mirren for £750,000 in 1988. Very effective as either a midfielder or striker, he scored the only goal of the 1987 Scottish Cup Final. A potentially great player.

RANGERS



RAY WILKINS

Midfield. Born Hillingdon 14.9.56. One of the best midfield players in Europe since he was signed from Paris St Germain in 1987. Formerly with Chelsea and AC Milan of Italy. An intelligent and outstanding performer.

RANGERS



DEREK FERGUSON

Midfield. Born Glasgow 31.7.67. Displays breathtaking form which confirms the outstanding talent he possesses. Looks set to join the list of all-time greats at Ibrox and establish himself at full international level for Scotland.

RANGERS



ALLY McCOIST

Forward. Born Bellshill 24.9.62. Immensely exciting international striker who has scored almost 200 goals for Rangers in all matches and has been the club's top scorer in each of his five seasons at Ibrox.

RANGERS



MO JOHNSTON

Forward. Born Glasgow 30.4.63. Scottish international striker who shows pace and highly developed reflexes. Shows tremendous goal touch, tenacity and displays awareness in the box. Signed from French club Nantes for £1.5 million in 1989.

RANGERS



MARK WALTERS

Forward. Born Birmingham 21.1.61. One of the most exciting players in football today. Was transferred from Aston Villa where he made 181 League appearances, for £500,000 in 1987. A quick, skilful and entertaining winger.



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Manager: Tony Fitzpatrick.

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Most League Appearances:
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League History: Founder Members of Division 1 1890. 1890-1935 Division 1, 1935-36 Division 2, 1936-67 Division 1, 1967-68 Division 2, 1968-71 Division 1, 1971-75 Division 2, 1975-77 First Division 1977- Premier Division.

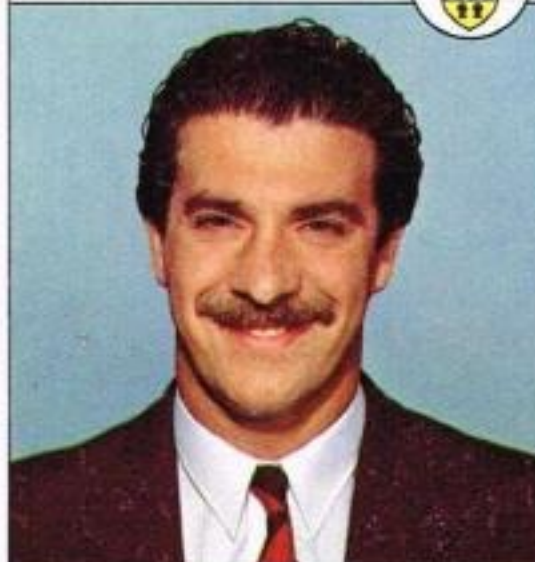
Honours: First Division Champions 1976-77. Division 2 Champions 1967-68, runners-up 1935-36. Scottish Cup winners 1926, 1959, 1987, runners-up 1908, 1934, 1962. League Cup runners-up 1955-56.



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TONY FITZPATRICK

Player/Manager. Youngest boss in the Premier Division who gives every indication of having a long and successful managerial career. Made over 400 appearances for the Saints in 15 seasons and also played for Bristol City.

ST MIRREN



CAMPBELL MONEY

Goalkeeper. Born Maybole 31.8.60. Scottish Under-21 and now full international since last season. Very agile and possessing great mobility, he is a sure handler of the ball and deals with crosses with skill and assurance.

ST MIRREN



DAVE WINNIE

Defender. Born Glasgow 26.10.66. Team captain who possesses tremendous qualities of leadership. A one-club man who made his debut in 1983, he shows great pace, good heading ability, passes well and tackles with assurance.

ST MIRREN



BRIAN MARTIN

Defender. Born Bellshill 24.2.63. Had previous spells with Falkirk and Hamilton. An outstanding utility player who is quick, strong, good on the ball and capable of playing in a variety of positions.

ST MIRREN



PAUL LAMBERT

Midfield. Born Glasgow 7.8.69. A local product, set to make a name for himself. He is comfortable on the ball, capable of scoring goals from short or long range and never gives anything away.

ST MIRREN



BILLY DAVIES

Midfield. Born Glasgow 31.5.64. Transferred from Elfsborg in Sweden after a spell of six years with Rangers, he is a play-maker and the anchor man of midfield. Displays a great shot when moving forward.

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NEIL COOPER

Defender. Born Aberdeen 12.8.59. Very commanding and resolute in the middle of the back four. A player of all-round defensive qualities who reads the game well and uses the ball to advantage.

ST MIRREN



PETER GODFREY

Defender. Born Falkirk 12.10.57. Experienced defender who started his career with Stenhousemuir and Meadowbank before joining St Mirren in 1985. Good header of the ball, is hard to dispossess and likes to break forward.

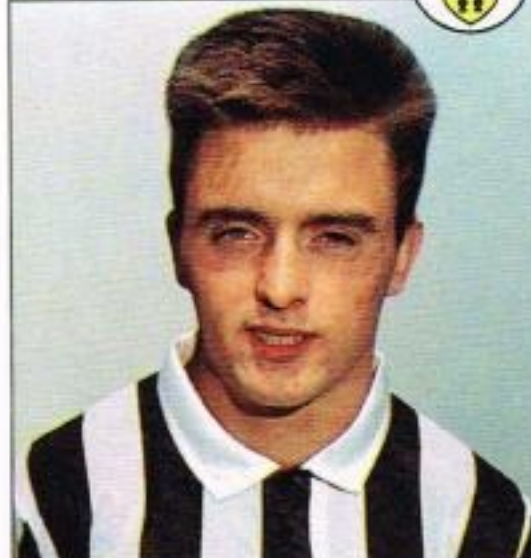
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RODERICK MANLEY

Defender. Born Glasgow 23.7.65. Former captain of Falkirk from where he was signed for £250,000. Very forceful defender who shows great potential and has good leadership qualities. Difficult to pass and clears his lines well.

ST MIRREN



BRIAN HAMILTON

Midfield. Born Paisley 5.8.67. Scottish Under-21 cap who possesses tireless energy. Has good running ability, tackles firmly and likes to support his forwards. Made his debut in 1986, has a great future in the game.

ST MIRREN



IAN CAMERON

Midfield/Forward. Born Glasgow 24.8.66. Signed for the Saints as a schoolboy and made his debut in 1983. Scotland Under-21 cap who likes to play wide on the left and shows tremendous skills in one-against-one situations.

ST MIRREN



PAUL CHALMERS

Forward. Born Glasgow 31.10.63. Has developed into a potent marksman since his move from Celtic in 1986. Sharp in the box with good positional sense, he was the club's top scorer last season.

ST MIRREN



MARK McWALTER

Forward. Born Arbroath 20.6.68. Very powerful centre-forward who joined the club from Arbroath in 1987. A lethal finisher who displays great speed off the mark, he can score with both feet and heads the ball well.

WHO SAID THAT?



BRIAN MOORE

"After a goalless first half, the score at half time is 0-0."



DICKIE DAVIS

"You can imagine how they feel . . . surrounded by their manager Ron Greenwood."



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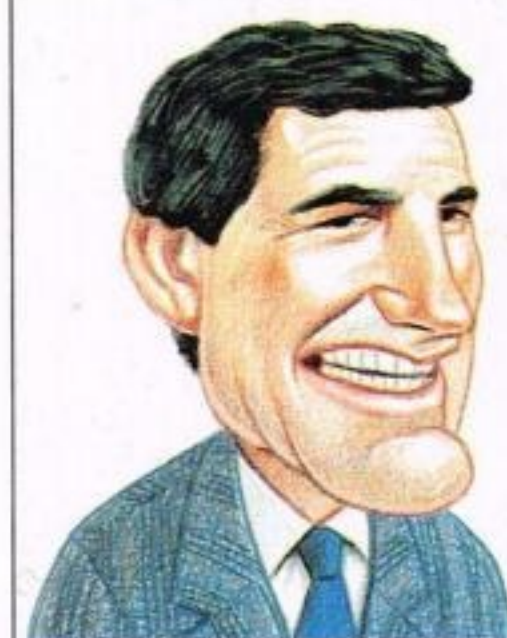
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JIMMY GREAVES

"He's got a left foot, and left feet are like bricks of gold."

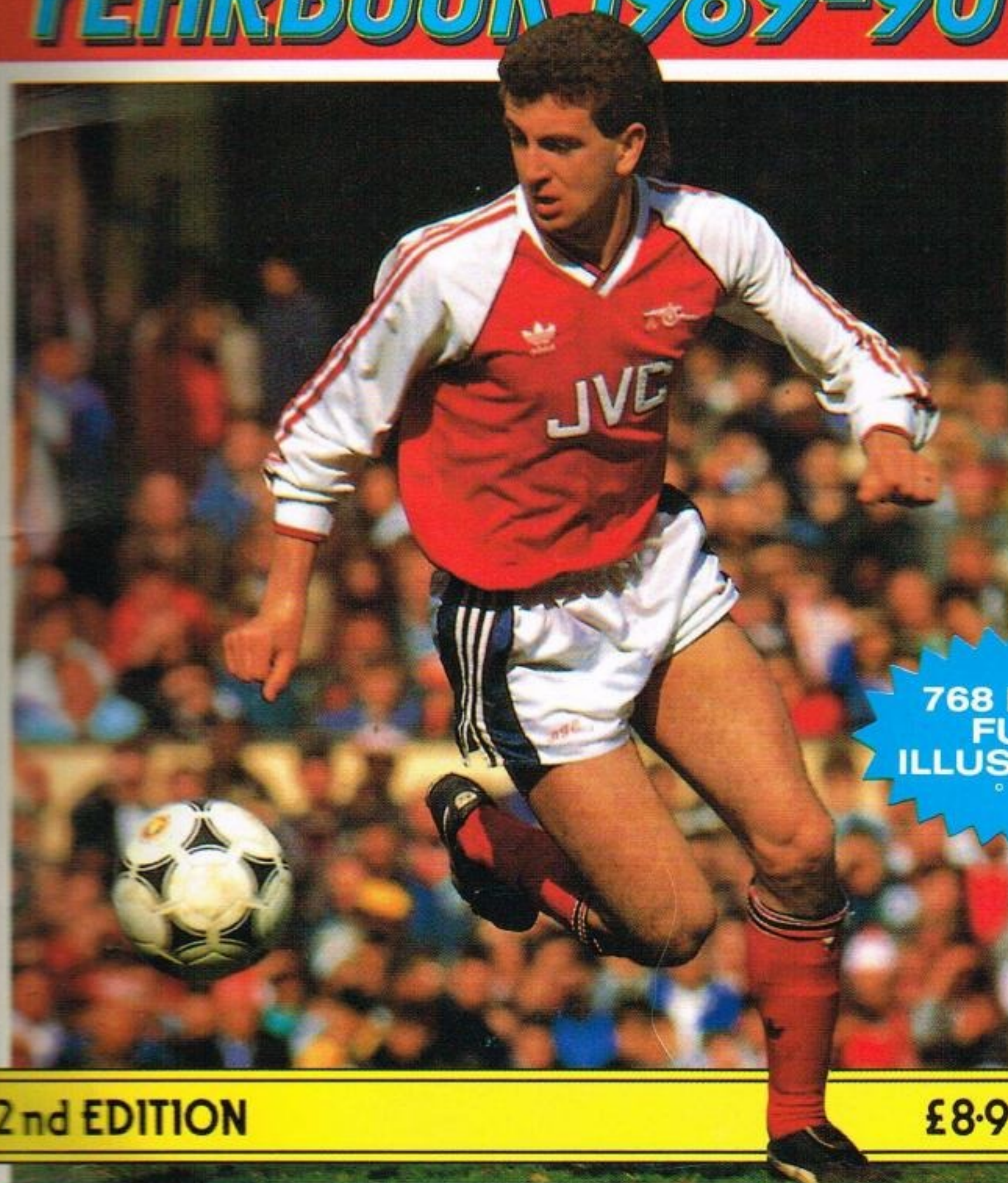


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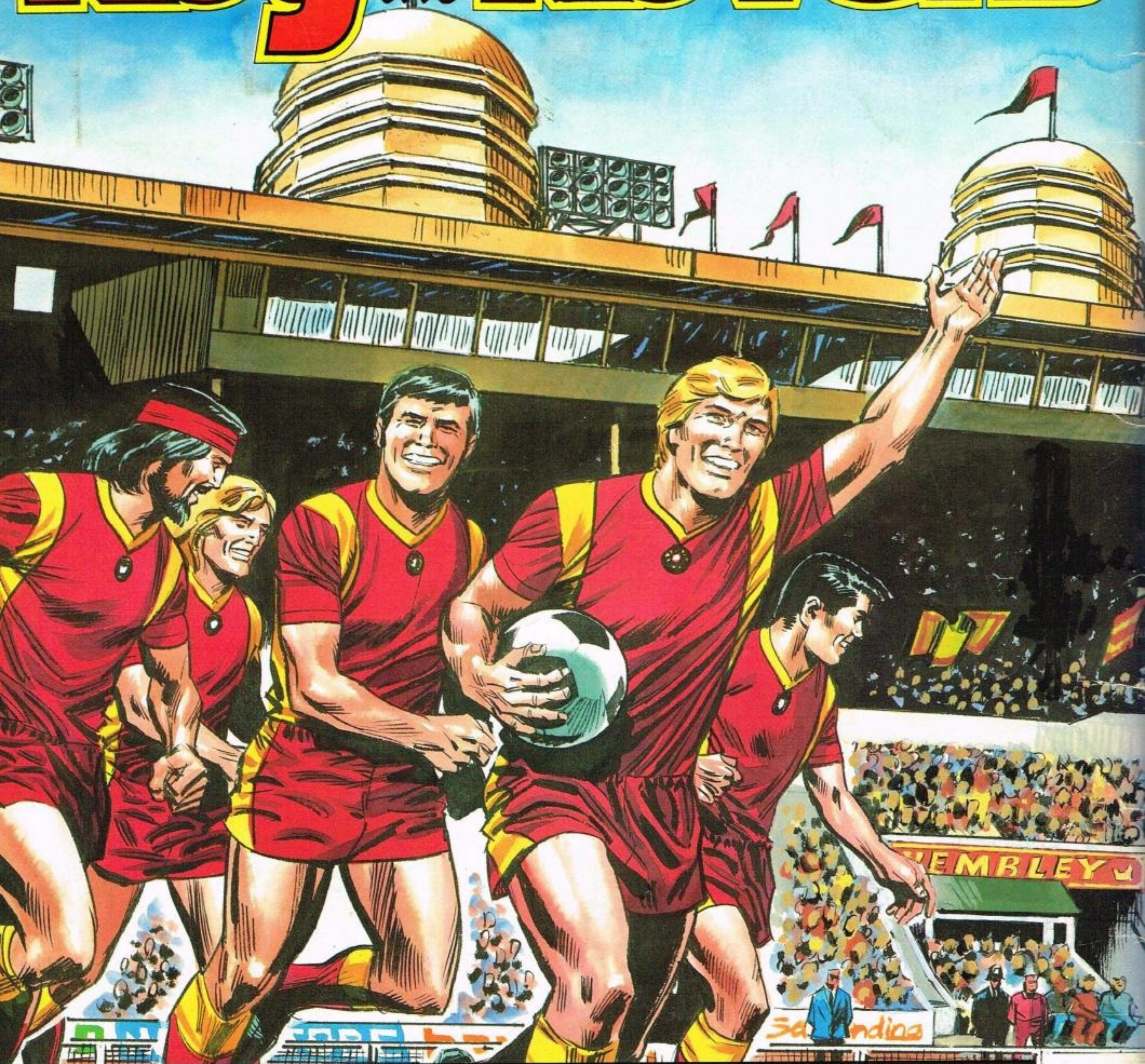
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